Lone Gunman Strikes Twice in City

Forecast—Showers, sunny periods
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SCURRAH EASILY OUSTS HARRISON

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"I'm proud of you, my darling!" was accolade of Mrs. Percy Scurrah for mayor-elect. —(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan).

Voting Results

Here are figures for first official count in yesterday's civic elections:

FOR MAYOR	
Percy B. Scurrah	**5,297**
C. L. Harrison	3,706
FOR ALDERMEN (First four elected)	
G. I. Edgelow	**5,059**
W. F. Pinfold	**4,411**
Millard Mooney	**3,700**
Mrs. Lily Wilson	**3,612**
D. J. Proudfoot	3,290
Elmer McEwen	3,248
Miss Jane Hall	3,035
Hugh Ramsay	3,012
Charles Hunt	1,415
A. K. Kingsley	1,315
Elgin Neish	685
Joe North	458
FOR POLICE COMMISSION	
W. J. Hamilton	**4,926**
Elmer McEwen	3,258
Joe North	559

Gunman Gets $10 In Two City Holdups

A lone armed bandit netted only $10 in two Victoria hold-ups last night after being thwarted by a quick-thinking theatre cashier in his second attempt.

Plucky Norene Ross, 18, of 2148 Granite, Oak Bay theatre cashier, prevented the gunman from getting any money when she pressed an alarm buzzer which he heard and fled.

He struck at about 7.50 p.m.

Thirty minutes earlier the bandit had held up the Cedar Hill grocery, Hillside and Cedar Hill, and escaped with $10, all that was in the recently-cleared cash register.

Descriptions of the gunman in both cases were similar.

Police are working on the theory both holdups were the work of the same man, or two men working together.

The bandit approached Miss Ross in the Oak Bay theatre and waved a gun at her. She was reading a magazine.

"I was waiting for him to break into a smile," she said. "I thought it was a local boy playing a joke."

The gunman then said: "Hand it over!"

Miss Ross answered: "Who are you trying to kid?"

She reached under the cash drawer and pressed a buzzer to summon manager A. N. Hutchinson.

The bandit apparently heard the buzzer, and fled on foot west on Oak Bay avenue and vanished in the darkness. It was misty at the time.

Miss Ross said the man was of medium height and build. She couldn't see him very well from inside the cashier's wicket.

The theatre patrons, unaware of the holdup, were watching a picture called "One Good Turn," billed as a "rollicking British comedy."

About 7.20 p.m. a man described as about 5 foot 10 inches tall, with dark hair, medium build, entered the Cedar Hill grocery waving a black automatic.

Nelson Hughes of 2954 Cedar Hill road, tending the store for owner Jack Chow, was at the back of the store when he heard the door open. He went to the counter and the gunman motioned at him to open the cash drawer. The bandit didn't speak.

Hughes gave him the cash, four two dollar bills and two ones. The bandit grabbed the bills and disappeared west on Hillside without saying a word.

Hughes said there was no sign of a car.

Pointing to spot where, armed, masked bandit stood in Oak Bay theatre hold-up attempt is cashier Norene Ross, 18, whose presence of mind and pluck thwarted the gunman.—Colonist photo by Jim Ryan)

First victim of armed bandit was Nelson Hughes, tending Cedar Hill Grocery. Bandit took $10. Hughes points to his own side-burns, similar to those worn by the masked gunman.—(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan)

Pearson Attacks Russians

OTTAWA (CP) — External Affairs Minister Pearson Thursday rebuked Russian Premier Bulganin and Communist party secretary Khrushchev for their recent anti-Western statements in India and Burma.

He said the Soviet leaders' remarks were "almost an insult to the intelligence" of their audiences. They displayed an ignorance not only of the sensibilities of their audiences but also of what is going on in the Western world.

Addressing the Women's Canadian Club, Mr. Pearson, who visited Russia early in October, said ignorance of the West on the part of the Soviet leaders is "total and dangerous."

This ignorance, genuine or calculated, was one of the most dangerous factors in the present world situation. It was "frightening" that men like Khrushchev held in their hands the destiny of 175,000,000 Russians and, to some extent, the destiny of the West.

Socialist Swing Significant

GREENOCK, Scotland (Reuters)—The voters of Greenock today recorded a swing of more than two per cent toward the Labor party in the first significant by-election since Britain's general election of last May.

The result, declared early today, reflected an unusually heavy vote for a by-election — 75.4 per cent. The general election turnout was 78 per cent.

Labor candidate J. Dickson Mabon had a majority of 2,694 compared with the 1,033 votes by which the late Hector McNeil won the seat at the general election last may.

It was Labor's second by-election success in 24 hours.

Priests' Home Gutted

QUEBEC (CP)—A general alarm fire Thursday night ripped through the Quebec City headquarters of the Fathers of the Blessed Sacrament, causing damage estimated at $600,000 before being brought under control.

Firemen battled for 3½ hours to control the flames and save the adjoining Church of the Blessed Sacrament.

Hamilton Wins . . . *. . . Commission Post*

Edgelow Heads Aldermanic Poll; Pinfold, Mooney, Wilson Elected

By R. O. MARRION

Less than 44 per cent of Victoria's registered voters turned out yesterday and made Percy Beall Scurrah the city's next mayor.

They elected him by 5,297 votes to Mayor Claude L. Harrison's 3,706, according to first-count totals.

The voters also re-elected Ald. Geoffrey Edgelow for a second term with 5,059 votes; re-elected Ald. William Pinfold for a fourth term, with 4,411 votes; re-elected Ald. Millard F. Mooney for a third term, with 3,700 votes, and elected Mrs. Lily Wilson to council for the first time with 3,612 votes, according to the final count.

William J. Hamilton was re-elected police commissioner with 4,926 votes to Elmer McEwen's 3,259 and Joe North's 559.

All terms of office are for two years.

Mayor Harrison's decisive defeat was attributed at least partly to lack of a campaign and his refusal to address the Junior Chamber of Commerce election rally Tuesday night.

There was confusion in late evening over how well the voters had turned out. A day-long check in the public market indicated a record vote of nearly 11,000. But a numerical count of ballots produced a total of 8,794, far fewer than the 10,438 in 1953 and 10,405 in 1951.

COUNT MYSTERY

First count total of mayoral ballots, however, totalled 9,075, and Returning Officer M. F. Hunter was at a temporary loss to explain the discrepancy.

Final count showed 9,073 ballots cast.

In the two-way fight with Mr. Scurrah, Mayor Harrison won about the same share of the votes as he did in 1951, when he faced three opponents, and in 1953, when he competed against four.

In 1951 Mayor Harrison won 37 per cent of the votes and in 1953 he won 40 per cent. This time he won 41 per cent.

SCURRAH IMPROVES

Mr. Scurrah's share of the votes was much greater than in 1953, when he was among the mayor's four opponents. Then, he received 2,478 votes to Mayor Harrison's 4,147, running second.

In the counting last night, Mr. Scurrah and Mayor Harrison never changed places. The first figures chalked on the blackboard were 21 votes for Mayor Harrison, 28 for Mr. Scurrah. An hour later, Mr. Scurrah had 1,358 votes, the mayor 896.

Ald. Edgelow stayed well in front throughout the counting of aldermanic votes. Ald. Mooney and Mrs. Wilson changed third and fourth places frequently as the totals mounted. Ald. Pinfold, after losing fourth place to Elmer McEwen in the first tally, jumped into second place and never lost it.

Election of silver-haired, dark-eyed Mr. Scurrah is expected to have two quick results: a bigger role for City Manager C. C. Wyatt and a probable start early in 1956 on construction of a new Point Ellice bridge.

One of Mr. Scurrah's main election planks was that he would expect council to be a policy-making body and to utilize the city manager to the fullest extent in carrying out policy as formulated by council.

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Winner, Loser —Both Smile

Mayor Claude L. Harrison as "a fine citizen," but said he was able to smile in defeat last night and mayor-elect Percy B. Scurrah smiled, too, in victory.

The two shook hands in the firemen's recreation room where the ballots were counted, soon after the first count was completed.

"It looks as if there is pretty good representation here," Mayor Harrison said cheerfully, nodding toward the blackboard with the results chalked on it, "and if that's it, that's it."

Asked if he might seek election again, he replied: "I never know what I might do."

Ald. J. D. Smith, who supported Mayor Harrison in the election and accompanied him on his brief visit to the counting-room, said he ought to run again.

He paid tribute to Mr. Scurrah thought the people of Victoria would know in the next two years that they should have kept Mayor Harrison.

"If the mayor doesn't contest the next election, I myself will," Ald. Smith said.

Mr. Scurrah thanked the voters, those who took part in his campaign, and his wife and daughters for their help.

"My aim," he said, "is to try to do a good job, with a sane, sensible, down-to-earth policy—no wonderful, high-faluting ideas.

"I'll give the city manager the power he should have. He's been working at less than 100 per cent capacity. I figure he's going to work at 110 per cent from now on.

"No one appreciates the value of money more than I do, but certain services have got to be kept up."

Capitalist Gewgaws Attract Red Clerics

TORONTO (CP)—Three Russian church officials wandered through Toronto's plushest shopping district Thursday buying bath salts, nylons and woollen socks.

Archbishop Boris bought the socks for his mother. Archpriest Constantine Rusitsky purchased the salts, a pair of nylons and a bottle of cologne for his wife. Anatole Gorbatchov kept his money.

The three dignitaries, visiting Canada for two weeks as guests of the United Church of Canada, were guided through the gleaming shops of the Yonge-Bay-Bloor area by five students from the nearby University of Toronto. The students were introduced to Archbishop Boris at their own request.

'Wide Wide World' Show

City To Get Continental Debut On New Year TV Spectacular

By ROY PARRETT

Victoria, which has had its own television activity restricted strictly to the local area by a ruling of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, will make its continent-wide television debut on New Year's day—over an American network.

The bells from Christ Church Cathedral will ring out greetings to all of North America on an NBC-TV "spectacular," Jan. 1.

The Victoria telecast will be part of a "Wide Wide World" program featuring Dave Garroway, which will be seen here on channel 4 from 1 to 2.30 p.m. on New Year's Day. Greetings from this city and other North American centres will be carried on the coast-to-coast television network.

Crews from the American network are already at work in the city and have set up mirco-wave equipment on the cathedral building. Preliminary tests between here and Seattle were pronounced "quite satisfactory" yesterday.

Further "live" broadcasts from Victoria will likely be made before the equipment is dismantled, officials stated.

Court House Guarded

New Citizens Forced To Sing 'The Queen'

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — More than 150 New Canadians were prevented from leaving a court building for two hours Thursday on pain of losing their newly-gained citizenship papers.

County Judge Joseph A. Legris, who last week censured a similar group when most failed to remain to sing "God Save the Queen" at the end of a citizenship ceremony, Thursday ordered guards posted at all exits of the municipal court building.

ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

IF you are going on a trip by air don't pack any beer in the luggage compartment.

Some members of the Oak Bay Drakes football team found this out when the came back from Fort William a while ago.

A Fort William brewery gave the boys a large quantity of beer as a parting present when they headed west after losing to the Redskins.

Several players packed beer in their suitcases when they flew the last lap home. The suitcases were stowed in the luggage compartment at the nose of the aircraft—which isn't pressurized.

Nineteen thousand feet or so above the Rockies, the bottle burst, soaking beer all through everyone's luggage.

TCA was none too pleased about it.

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What happened to the mountain goats of Cowichan lake?

In 1926, one billy goat and two nannies were transplanted by the B.C. game department to the rugged Shaw creek area north of Cowichan lake.

One of the men who helped liberate them, Buchanan Simpson, reported seeing the goats several years later. But there have been no reports since.

Inspector George C. Stevenson of the game department says that a thorough investigation will be made next year to see if the animals have multiplied.

These goats are not the same as Rocky mountain sheep. They actually belong to the antelope family. There is no open season on them.

"There's no reason why they shouldn't survive," Inspector Stevenson says.

From time to time one hears reports that domestic goats which have gone wild roam in the Langford area and in the watershed.

However, game warden Bob Sinclair says there is no truth to these reports at all. Goats and sheep have wandered to some wild places in those parts, he says—but they all belong to someone. So don't shoot.

* * *

A herd of domestic cattle gone wild survived for some time in the Jordan Meadows area, I'm told. They were the remnants of the stock on an abandoned farm.

Eventually they were slaughtered.

Prepared for Trouble

Loading their pistols, Ontario provincial police prepare to enter the home of Edwin Waucaush on the Muncey Indian reservation near London, Ont. He was arrested for questioning in the murder of Dan Mullins, who was shot through the head while feeding his pigs. Mullins' mother, 84, was also shot through the neck as she sat in a rocking chair in the parlor of their farm home. Waucaush offered no resistance.

Four Held

Suspects Quizzed In Police Slaying

VANCOUVER (CP) — Four suspects, one a woman, were held Thursday night as police sought the gun-slayer of 41-year-old Constable Gordon Sinclair.

He died early Wednesday night, his hand on his holster, as he surprised two prowlers in the Kitsilano industrial area close to downtown Vancouver.

Mayor Fred Hume has offered a $1,000 personal reward for apprehension of the killers.

"We believe we have the right man," said Acting Police Chief Alan Rossiter.

Two youths, a juvenile and a young woman were under questioning at police headquarters throughout Thursday, but no charges had been laid.

The woman, who had been released after questioning earlier, was taken into custody for further examination Thursday.

The Vancouver Province opened a fund for Sinclair's widow and three teen-age children and arranged to hand over donations to two police benefit associations.

A full police funeral has been arranged for Tuesday.

Twenty minutes before his death, Const. Sinclair left home telling his wife he would be back in a little while.

"They never gave him a chance," sobbed Mrs. Sinclair Thursday. "They just shot him through the head."

Winter Eases Grip, Ships Clear Canal

MONTREAL (CP) — Winter's tightening grip relaxed slightly Thursday along this port's upstream canal system—good news for ships driving to escape freezing waters.

Milder temperatures helped a slow-paced parade of ships through the Lachine canal, threatened by freezing temperatures since Nov. 30.

Canals chief Jean Barcelo said Thursday night all but 10 ships—at least seven of them ocean vessels—now have navigated the icy gauntlet. He was confident the 10 will reach Montreal before midnight Saturday, deadline for closing the locks for the winter.

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Canada UN Plan Passes First Test

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (CP)—A Canadian proposal to increase UN membership by nearly one-third received emphatic approval in the General Assembly Thursday, but not before and outspoken minority had signalled rough weather ahead for the plan.

As in the assembly's special political committee Wednesday, the vote was 52 to 2 with five absentions. After the result was announced, applause broke out in the richly-appointed assembly hall. A veteran UN delegate said it was the first time he ever witnessed such a demonstration.

The resolution calling for the admission of five Communist and 13 non-Communist states now goes to the Security Council, which will meet Saturday morning to consider it.

It took the assembly nearly three hours to approve the recommendation.

Martin, chairman of the Canadian delegation, said that in view of past Soviet vetoes, the only way to bring in deserving countries was by accepting the 29-power package. "Are we going to let these nations lie in frustration outside the United Nations?" he asked.

The Nationalists have threatened to veto Outer Mongolia in the Security Council if necessary to block its admission. Russia says it will veto all 13 Western candidates if they do.

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Labor and Civic Leaders Laud Vancouver Alderman

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mayor Fred Hume and civic labor leaders Thursday paid tribute to Alderman Birt Showler, 63, veteran city council member who died at his home here of a heart attack.

Of Ald. Showler's six-year term on the council, the mayor said:

"He was a valuable member of city council and took a definite stand on every issue, and in debate was forthright and decisive."

The alderman had been on leave of absence from council meetings for the last nine months.

Mr. Showler also served for eight years as Pacific vice-president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, and was identified with the labor movement here for nearly 40 years.

Tom Alsbury, president of the Vancouver and District Trades and Labor Council AFL, said:

". . . His death will be a great loss to the local and national labor movement, to which he gave his life . . ."

Provincial Labor Minister Lyle Wicks said Mr. Showler "will be sadly missed by people in all walks of life. He played an active role in organized labor."

A by-election to fill Ald. Showler's vacant seat will likely be held late next month.

Born in London, England, the son of a draper, he came to Vancouver in 1910, and for many years was an executive of the teamsters' union.

He is survived by his widow, a son, and three daughters.

Tribute to Birt Showler was paid here last night by T. C. Gooderham, who described him as a person "who did a very great job for the trade union movement."

"He was highly respected in many circles," said Mr. Gooderham, Trades and Labor Congress representative.

"The Teamsters' Union in this province should be proud of his efforts."

Robert Milliken, Teamsters' Union business agent, said that Mr. Showler upheld all TLC principles.

Many Trades and Labor Congress officials here indicated they will attend Vancouver funeral services.

Garden Notes

Pepper Plant New Discovery

By M. V. CHESNUT, ERHS

At this season of the year, I imagine that the last thing you ever expected to see in this column was another offer of free seeds. Nevertheless, that is exactly what I have for you.

If you are the kind of gardner who gets a kick out of growing strange and exotic house plants, you're going to like this one, for it is an ornamental pepper—as cute as a bug's ear, and as easy to grow as a radish!

It happened in this way: While visiting in Portland about a year ago, I ran into this little houseplant, and fell for it hard at first sight. It grows about a foot high—just a bit smaller than a fully-grown Jerusalem Cherry—making a compact little bush with neat and attractive foliage.

TINY PEPPER

Almost every branch of the little plant carried a tiny scarlet pepper, not dangling downward like the big green peppers we grow in our gardens, but sticking straight up, making the plant look as if it had been decorated with a dozen little red candles.

When I returned home, I started writing to friends and colleagues in various parts of the country, describing the plant and asking if they could put me in touch with a source for the seeds.

The other day I had a note from Eugene Veit, who is one of the top brass in Burpee's, the big U.S. seedgrowing firm. He told me the plant I was looking for was the Small Red Chili pepper, bearing fruits as hot as the hinges of you-know-where, but making a most attractive and ornamental houseplant.

In the goodness of his heart, he followed this up a few days later with a gift of a big bag of seeds—enough to put a Chili Pepper plant into every house in Greater Victoria, with enough left over to decorate all the windowsills in Duncan and Nanaimo.

STARTING SEEDS

I am starting a few of the seeds right away, using the heat of my desk lamp to germinate them in a method which I will describe in tomorrow's column, but in the meantime, if you would like to share my loot, just drop me a line in care of the Colonist enclosing a stamped and self-addressed envelope.

I'll put a pinch of the Chili Pepper seeds into your envelope and mail it right back to you. We'll try our hand together at growing this cute little fellow, and we'll swap notes in about three month's time to see who has the most little red "candles" on his diminutive tree.

Varsity Students Face Beer Ban

BRISTOL, England (Reuters)—Bristol University officials warned Thursday they will cut off the beer from the campus bar unless students stop singing objectionable songs, smashing beer glasses, tossing fireworks and swinging on ropes from the ceiling.

ARCTIC ISLETS

Franz Josef land northwest of Spitsbergen consists of some 60 islands of volcanic origin.

Weather Forecast

Dec. 9, 1955

Cloudy with a few brief showers. Sunny periods in the afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light westerly winds. Thursday precipitation, .64 inches. Sunshine, nil.

RECORDED TEMPERATURES

High 46 Low 39

FORECAST TEMPERATURES

High 44 Low 36

Sunrise 7.53 Sunset 4.18

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with a few showers. Brief sunny periods in the afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light winds. High at Nanaimo, 42.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with a few showers. Little change in temperature. Southwest winds 15. High at Estevan, 47.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
9					10.40+	0.6	18.40	3.8
10					11.06	0.9	19.13	3.1
11	3.00	8.8	8.16	8.7	11.30	9.9	19.46	2.7
12	3.47	9.2	7.16	9.1	11.46	9.9	20.19	2.3
13	4.18	9.4	8.08	9.2	11.56	9.9	20.53	2.1
14	4.53	9.4	8.48	9.3	12.12	9.8	21.27	2.1
15	5.24	9.3	9.28	9.2	12.32	9.7	22.02	2.3
16	7.00	9.3	10.10	9.1	12.58	9.4	22.37	2.6
17	8.14	9.3	11.00	8.9	13.30	9.0	23.10	2.8
18	9.32	9.2	11.58	8.8	15.40	8.7	23.44	2.9
19	9.48	9.3	13.10	8.3	16.00	8.3		
20	9.16	9.6	9.27	9.3				

TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
8	3.34	11.8	7.36	10.7	11.06	14.3	20.42	3.8
10	4.04	12.0	8.49	11.0	12.42	14.0	21.36	3.3
11	4.38	12.0	9.40	11.4	14.17	13.7	21.56	2.7
12	5.40	12.0	10.34	11.8	14.50	13.5	22.30	2.3
13	6.16	12.0	11.30	11.8	15.34	13.3	23.04	2.4
14	6.48	12.1	12.02	11.4	15.00	13.0	23.30	2.3
15	7.19	12.2	12.44	11.2	16.35	12.8		
16	8.10	12.7	7.50	10.3	12.34	11.0	17.18	13.5
17	9.44	13.3	9.30	10.2	14.00	10.0	18.04	12.1
18	1.17	3.2	9.50	10.1	14.46	10.2	18.53	11.6
19	1.53	4.0	9.20	14.9	15.34	9.6	19.50	11.1
20	2.27	5.0	9.50	14.8	16.30	8.9	21.02	10.8

SAANICH INLET

To determine tides in Saanich Inlet area. For higher high water deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water deduct 23 minutes; for half-tides (those other than highest and lowest) deduct 32 minutes.

COWICHAN BAY

To determine tides Cowichan Bay area: For higher high water deduct 18 minutes; for lower low water deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides deduct 33 minutes.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. Johns	29	32	.01
Halifax	19	35	--
Montreal	11	23	--
Ottawa	12	23	--
Toronto	26	30	.11
North Bay	7	20	--
Kenora	— 5	11	.01
Winnipeg	—14	— 5	--
Brandon	—16	0	--
The Pas	—29	— 3	--
Regina	—15	0	--
Saskatoon	—10	10	.02
Prince Albert	—22	1	--
N. Battleford	— 1	11	--
Swift Current	8	35	--
Lethbridge	11	31	--
Calgary	7	32	--
Edmonton	3	17	--
Kimberley	11	26	--
Crescent Valley	21	30	.01
Kaslo	24	33	.05
Kamloops	23	38	.08
Penticton	32	36	.01
Vancouver	36	44	.48
Prince Rupert	38	43	.43
Prince George	32	36	
Whitehorse	— 4	10	.09
Seattle	38	46	.51
Portland	40	52	.64
San Francisco	48	54	.78
Los Angeles	50	75	
Spokane	20	34	.03
Chicago	24	33	--

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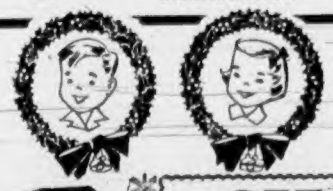
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Aldermanic Smiles Greet Victory

Three happy warriors—Aldermen Geoffrey I. Edgelow, W. F. Pinfold and Millard H. Mooney—led the aldermanic poll in that order. Fourth successful candidate, Mrs. Lily Wilson, made belated appearance at returning officer's busy headquarters.—(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan)

'Proof of Citizens' Interest'

'Blow to My Friend Claude Harrison' Observes One-Man Gorge-Restorer

Ald. Geoffrey I. Edgelow, who sailed to victory as handily as he sails his beloved Gorge, called victory "a terrific thrill."

"It gives me new impetus to carry on with the city's business and the work I am doing in the interest of the taxpayer and the city of Victoria," he said.

"This shows me the interest citizens must have in the restoration of the Gorge waterway, which has been one of my main interests."

The man most ardent to return the Gorge to its days of glory said he would continue to strive for it's restoration.

He said he felt mayor-elect Percy Scurrah would make an "able administrator."

BLOW TO HARRISON

"I feel this is a blow to my friend, Claude Harrison, who has certainly served the people to the best of his ability and did wish to complete some projects," Ald. Edgelow said.

Only newcomer to city council next year will be Mrs. Lily C. Wilson, who placed fourth.

Ald. Pinfold, who was elected last night for the fourth time, said "Next year I am sure we will get a lot of unfinished business really cleaned up and make some real progress."

SOME SURPRISES

Ald. Millard H. Mooney said the election contained "some surprises" for him.

"I will try to continue doing a good job for the citizens of Victoria. I have tried hard," he said.

William J. Hamilton, who was re-elected to police commission, said:

"I have enjoyed working with the commission for four years. I am interested in the police force and we have an efficient force," he said. "We will keep on endeavoring to improve it."

Then, he laughed, "That doesn't sound so good tonight with two holdups."

Defeated aldermanic candidate Miss Jane Hall said she was not disappointed, but that she would have liked very much to become a council member.

She congratulated Mrs. Wilson and said, "I am certain she will represent the women to the best of her ability."

Elmer McEwen, who was defeated in both his council and police commission bids, said the election "shows a trend." He added: "I will try again. I don't feel this is any indication."

Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, another defeated council candidate, said he thought "a good council" was elected. "Here we have democracy at its best . . . it is a good cross-section," he said.

Comment on Taxes

Scurrah Knows Value of a Dollar

Victoria's mayor-elect, Percy B. Scurrah, feels the same way as anyone else about taxes.

"Nobody appreciates the value of a dollar more than I do," he said last night.

The tall, cigar-smoking choice of the voters said he learned what a dollar was worth on the Ontario farm where he was born, and during his early career as a telegraph operator living in a shack and working for less than 10 cents an hour.

But he wouldn't say how long ago it was that he arrived on the Ontario farm.

"Certainly you may ask how old I am," he smiled, "but I'm not going to tell you.

"A man is as old as his mental outlook. My ideas are young because I am in a business in which you have to keep your ideas young."

Mr. Scurrah came to Victoria in 1910. He worked for four or five years as an insurance salesman before he opened the store that bears his name.

The girl who soon became Mrs. Scurrah came to Victoria from Ontario at about the same time, and the Scurrahs are still living in the King George Terrace house they moved into when they married.

Mr. Scurrah has been prominent in Rotary Club work and Mrs. Scurrah has been even more prominent in the PEO Sisterhood. In the sisterhood, Mrs. Scurrah has been president of the Supreme Chapter and supreme organizer. She was the first Canadian to become international president.

The Scurrahs are members of the Christian Science church.

They have three daughters, Mrs. William G. Halkett, Mrs. Bernhard Kiekstad and Mrs. Gordon Jennings.

Returned

WILLIAM J. HAMILTON

Returned to office for another two years on the Victoria police commission in yesterday's voting was William J. Hamilton, who received 4,973 votes to the 3,310 of his nearest competitor, Elmer McEwen.

Edgelow Tops Poll In Field of Twelve

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During his two terms as an alderman, Mr. Scurrah fought consistently for the fullest use of the city manager in administration.

BACKS BRIDGE

Mr. Scurrah's views on the Point Ellice bridge are the same as those of the public works committee, which is recommending that ratepayers vote early in 1956 on a money by-law to borrow $300,000 over a 10-year period to help pay for a new bridge. The rest of the initial capital required would come from land-sale funds already designated for the purpose.

Mr. Scurrah's election also will mean a drive to sell more city-owned property, so the proceeds can be used to repay the borrowed money during the 10 years without increasing taxes.

Mayor Harrison has opposed quick action on the bridge, and other civic projects, pending the outcome of "matters of importance" which he has said are before the provincial and federal governments.

ZONING ACTION?

Other projects that may advance more quickly for Mr. Scurrah's election include the passing of a new zoning by-law for Victoria and acquisition of off-street parking space.

Ald. Edgelow promised in his campaign to work for improvement of the Gorge, improvement of parks, a better sewer system, and, generally, civic improvement with economy.

Ald. Pinfold said he would seek council harmony, sound civic planning, sensible preparation for possible amalgamation, and intensive consideration of the traffic problem.

Mrs. Wilson, who will take the seat vacated by Ald. Brent Murdoch, said a woman's viewpoint was needed in civic business. She said she wanted to keep taxes down and to work on social welfare, like her mother, former Ald. Mrs. Margaret Christie.

HISTORIC POST

First Constable of the Tower of London was Sir Geoffrey de Mandeville, appointed about 1078.

Mom Was Alderman

She'll Be Happy If She Can Fill Mother's Shoes

Mrs. Lily C. Wilson will be happy if she can fill the aldermanic shoes of her mother—former alderman Mrs. Margaret Christie.

"If I do as good a job as my mother did, I will do very well," she said last night.

And her mother, who served 19 years on city council, seven years on the school board and one year on the police commission, and once held all three positions at the same time, said she was "very pleased with Lily's election."

"I felt she would win. I thought she deserved it," Mrs. Christie said. "I haven't had time to wash my face or comb my hair today."

Mrs. Christie explained that she had been driving election cars for her daughter from 8.30 yesterday morning until the polls closed at 7 p.m.

MRS. LILY WILSON

MISSED EXCITEMENT

Mrs. Wilson missed the excitement of the ballot counting last night. She was teaching new Canadians to speak English.

Mrs. Wilson said last night she will give up night school teaching to devote more time to council.

"Never was I so popular in my whole life," the new alderman-elect said as she looked at the board which showed she got 3,619 votes.

"I don't mind what committee I go on," she said. "I know welfare best."

Her mother served on the welfare committee during her aldermanic years.

"She doesn't need coaching. She knows the work I was doing. I think she will be following my footsteps," Mrs. Christie said. "I would like to see her on the welfare committee."

"I wish there had been enough places for all the candidates," Mrs. Wilson said excitedly.

Calm Water Welcomed By Tug, Tow

Crew members of the disabled Greek freighter Makedonia and its rescurer, the salvage tug Sudbury, last night welcomed the feeling of an even keel in calm waters after 38 days of rolling and pounding seas and high winds.

The 7,200-ton freighter picked up pilots flown up from Vancouver yesterday to guide the ship through the narrow inner channels for the final 500 miles of the 3,200-mile tow to Vancouver.

Tug and tow were reported in Grenville channel last night and are expected to reach Vancouver late Sunday or early Monday.

Island Tug and Barge officials said last night that the tug will probably step up speed to seven knots in the channels but will have to slow down for turns and wait for suitable tides at some points along the way.

Naval Manoeuvres

Superintending, Etc., Etc., Throws in Towel

VANCOUVER (CP)—The superintending victualling stores officer, admiralty storage depot (victualling), Risley, Lancashire, England, is annoyed.

It seems he erred by mailing a package of 12 towels to HMCS Discovery, a shore station in Vancouver, instead of to HMS Discovery, berthed in the River Thames.

That was six months ago. Since then the Discovery here mailed back the towels, but they haven't arrived back at Risley and an inter - Commonwealth dispute is raging by mail.

"It is requested you will confirm dispatch and furnish details in order the parcel may be traced as soon as possible," said the latest communique from the superintending victualling stores officer, admiralty storage depot (victualling), Risley, Lancashire, England.

City Chamber Plans Christmas Party

The Chamber of Commerce plans a gala Christmas party at noon at the Empress Hotel next Friday with professional entertainment, a turkey dinner and prizes galore.

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Mayor Harrison's Obsession

MAYOR HARRISON on Tuesday made a number of accusations against the press of Victoria, impugning its integrity and attributing deliberate intent to harm his election chances by the artifice of misrepresentation. We refrained from answering these allegations immediately, because a prompt reply thereto would have appeared on the morning of the election and might have been interpreted as an attempt to influence the result. The election is now over, and that motive at least cannot be imputed.

Out of respect for Mr. Harrison's personal feelings we have refrained also—for several years now—from stating the real cause of his numerous complaints against the press. Now, however, since he persists in publicizing his sense of persecution, we believe that the public should be given the explanation. Mr. Harrison has forced this by his repeated defamations of every medium of news reporting in the city.

The mayor has used the word "garbled" with reference to reports of his speeches. The word is apt; but it belongs elsewhere. The truth of the matter is that no more garbled utterances have ever been heard on civic affairs in Victoria than those which have come from his lips during his terms of office. For a lawyer Mr. Harrison has betrayed on innumerable occasions a peculiar inability to express himself lucidly. Whatever may be in his mind, that which comes out often is well nigh unintelligible. He has also the bewildering and exasperating habit of mumbling and leaving sentences suspended in mid-air. Mr. Harrison apparently is unaware of these impediments, and we are confident he is completely sincere in his belief that some of his statements are misreported.

Because of these elocutionary shortcomings the mayor is a reporter's nightmare. Times without number what he actually said has left them to guess at what he meant, and post-meeting requests for clarification, sometimes brusquely turned away, have helped little. It is a reporter's duty to present readers with something they can grasp, and if in the baffling process of interpretation Mr. Harrison is sometimes misunderstood (though we are convinced such occasions have been rare) little blame can be laid to our reporters. To accuse these conscientious young men, struggling manfully to reduce the mayor's incoherent words and phrases to intelligible form, of wilfully garbling them is a cruel and despicable wrong to men who have no opportunity to defend themselves.

In all the years in which Mr. Harrison has professed himself to be misreported, misquoted, misrepresented and misjudged we know of no occasion on which this paper has tried to be anything but scrupulously fair to him (often leaning over backwards to that end), and to help him as reputable newspapers invariably do for any public speaker whose statements if printed verbatim might create a poor impression of the speaker. Mr. Harrison may not believe this. We can only state it from painful experience and leave it to the judgment of those who have listened to the mayor more than casually.

Possibly a solution to the difficulty of reporting the mayor would be to print his statements word for word, regardless of the embarrassment that might cause him. But there are other matters to be reported besides the affairs of the city hall, and space limitations demand condensation of the statements of all public officials—even the prime minister of Canada, who does not appear to have cause to share Mr. Harrison's belief in the villainy of the newspapers, for the simple reason that when he speaks he leaves no doubt as to his meaning.

Mr. Attlee Steps Down

WHEN a political leader recedes from the stage after long years of office a new era begins for his party. That is an inescapable result for the British Labor Party following Mr. Clement Attlee's announced retirement, and also for Great Britain as well. Whoever succeeds him will fashion a fresh pattern, with its corresponding impact on the nation at large. Mr. Attlee incidentally is the last of the Potsdam principals to pass from an active public role, so that in a wider sense there is a final break with the past. While not unexpected because of his age and state of health the former prime minister's retirement will therefore set in motion important changes.

Initially these will concern the contest for his mantle. Obviously were Mr. Aneurin Bevan to gain the leadership of the British Labor Party the latter would be geared anew to an extension of state socialism, for he is an adamant proponent of more and more nationalization and illiberal in his understanding of society. A less extreme leader is considered likely to succeed Mr. Attlee, however; the choice apparently resting between Mr. Herbert Morrison and Mr. Hugh Gaitskell, both moderate in their socialism with the realization that state control has grave weaknesses and that the mean in this direction has been reached in Great Britain. Mr. Morrison's age is against him so that in perspective the odds favor Mr. Gaitskell unless, as in the case of Mr. Attlee himself 20 years ago, a compromise candidate is chosen mainly to keep the party peace.

Keeping the peace among discordant elements in his party has been not the least of Mr. Attlee's contribution to the public life of his country. He has been a deceptive leader, strong despite lack of color and outward show of power. Posterity may accord him a high place because of the integrity and selflessness of character that have won him universal respect. His name is indelibly associated also with the vast post-war change in the social scene of Britain effected during his premiership; and he has served his country faithfully and well according to his dedication in both peace and war. The earldom conferred on him will enable his counsel still to be available in the public realm, and it has been worthily earned.

A Master Builder

THE impending retirement of Mr. Walter Luney from active association with construction in Victoria will bring to him a wealth of good wishes from a host of friends in the community and much wider fields. With his late father and brother in their time, Mr. Luney has carried on the traditions of a pioneering contracting firm with a capacity and resourcefulness which have earned every bit of success they engendered. His genial good will and his way with men long ago made him a favorite citizen in this community; one which he has served to the full and always unselfishly. His brains and his energy have made themselves felt in many ways connected with the development of Victoria.

If now the time has come for him to taper off on the activities of a never-idle career, Mr. Luney will have the pleasure of identifying his work all over Victoria and the satisfaction of knowing that it is good. A master builder for a lifetime, his contribution to this community will not soon be surpassed. The Daily Colonist joins his myriad of friends in the warmest congratulations on an outstandingly fine record.

Interpreting the News

Khrushchev—Master Liar

By J. M. ROBERTS
Associated Press News Analyst

NIKITA Khrushchev, who has been saying such nasty things about Britain while on a state visit to Burma, will probably say when he goes to Britain on a similar trip next April that it must have all been a mistake by someone else who has already been purged.

That's the way he tried to handle some previous Russian nastiness toward Yugoslavia when he went to see President Tito last spring.

There has been discussion in Britain as to whether Sir Anthony Eden should now withdraw his invitation to Bulganin and Khrushchev, in view of the unbridled attacks which have been chorused by the Russian press. Eden won't withdraw it, of course.

Khrushchev, boss of international Communism, began to hit the world's front pages only after the ouster of Malenkov from the premiership early this year. At first he assumed the pose of a sensible, convivial fellow who could and would do business with the West.

That lasted until the July "summit" conference in Geneva, when Bulganin, Khrushchev's new premier, arrived without any evidence of intent to do business, and Molotov knocked the rest of the facade full of holes at the foreign ministers' meeting.

Even after that, however, the Russians gave lip service to the sweetness and light campaign until Bulganin and Khrushchev went to India and Burma.

Trying to play all the anti-colonial tunes which the Asiatics love so well, the Russian leaders reopened their war on the West. Bulganin started it with a boast of ultimate victory made before the Indian parliament. But that was only a political statement designed to attract Indian support.

Khrushchev began to work up steam on the theme that the Western powers have not dropped their colonial ambitions, and went on from there to accuse Britain of conspiring to foster Hitler's attack on Russia.

Any attempt to answer all the lies which Russia can put out would require a lifetime of devotion. However, the record of Russia's deal with Germany to take part of Poland, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia and part of the Middle East if captured, in return for her own neutrality during an attack on the Western powers, is so clear as to be wholly obvious.

For Khrushchev to attempt to twist that record is one of the most bald-faced efforts ever made by a country noted for them.

Thinking Aloud

". . . of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

POETS must be allowed literary licence else they would dry up, which without making sense may account for this epic line from one of the newest crop: "Life is hell but death is worse."

The point about this, and it is sharply barbed, is that no one knows what hell—or hades or gehenna or sheol as you prefer—is like; none having sampled same and returned to tell of it. Ditto naturally with death, no one having lived to describe its nature.

Poets you see, like the rest of us, go through life making comparisons that don't mean a darn thing.

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The Russian version of toddy, as per Bruce Lockhart's recollection:

First you put in whisky to make it strong; then you add water to make it weak; next you put in lemon to make it sour, then you put in sugar to make it sweet. You put in more whisky to kill the water. Then you say "Here's to you"—and drink it yourself!

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Saw a video film of Venice and lo and behold the gondolas stopped at a red light hanging over the intersection of two canals. A moment later a siren heralded a red-painted motor fireboat which whooshed around the gondolas and spilled canal waves over the embankment.

Thought perhaps this was a modern Hollywood touch to give verisimilitude to the heroine, who was a spinster from Kansas or thereabouts, but no. 'Tis a traffic truth. The last stronghold of romance has been breached; Venetian gondolas are being motorized.

Which sad industrial fact causes the Christian Science Monitor to succumb, viz.: "We are having our mandolin wired for television."

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Another majestic theme has been punctured, the Napoleonic stance. That famous hand-in-tunic posture was not a masterful gesture at all, say two analytical Chicago physicians, but merely a man in pain pressing on an ulcer.

How little personal quirks grow to momentous historical proportions. And how deflating this will be to all the little Caesars who imitate the great Bonaparte!

The next thing to be debunked, perhaps, will be the opera cloak.

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Happening you have a mind to make yourself some Atholl brose for this coming Hogmanay: Here is a simple way to go about it:

Mix an equal quantity of running heather honey and fine oatmeal in a little cold water. Then pour in slowly a well-flavored whisky. Stir contents vigorously until a generous froth appears on top. Bottle and cork tightly, keep for two days, and serve in your best silver bowl. A pound each of honey and oatmeal will need four pints of whisky; you can reduce or increase the quantities in proportion.

Remember, though, that Atholl brose is a giant's drink, so if you are not a giant . . . better stick to milk.

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That genial gentleman with the bee in his bonnet, Dr Hewlett Johnson of Canterbury, says he is proud to be called "the Red Dean." Well, pride often goes before a fall, as he would long since have learned had his ecclesiastical appointment not been a political one.

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Whatever else television quizz programs do—besides handing small fortunes to winners, I mean—they demonstrate the infinite variety of humankind. The butcher, the baker, and the candlestick maker offer happy proof that men are not alike and that diversity is homo's middle name. Just as well too else no one would elect to do the humdrum, nasty, often difficult jobs that keep society in being.

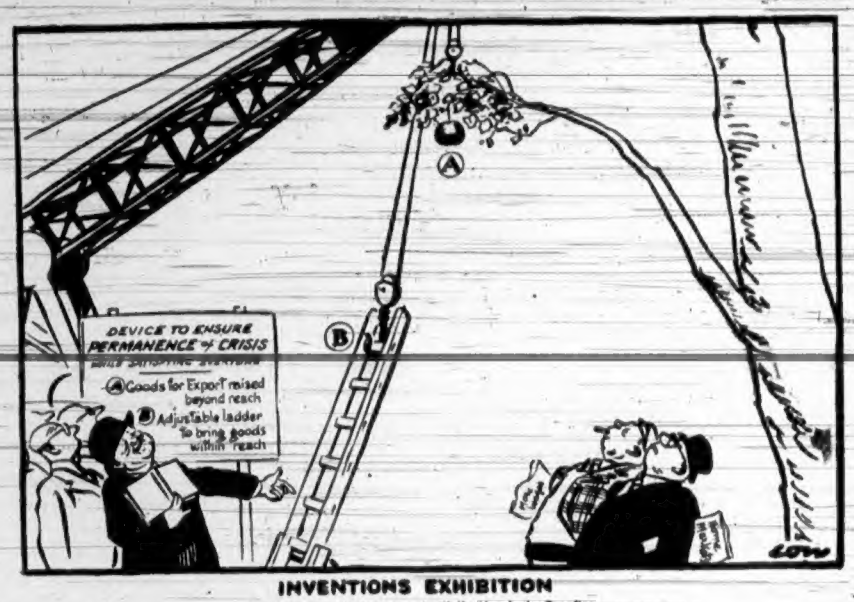
This is the age of the common man, 'tis said; but it is essentially the age of the specialist in out-of-the-way knowledge. Thus we have a policeman who knows Shakespeare better than his beat, a marine equally at home in the kitchen as in the front line of battle, a cobbler whose last mirrors encyclopedic grand opera lore, and a dainty lady who is an expert on the undainty prize ring.

The moral in this, if there is one, is never to underestimate your neighbour; his placid exterior may cloak a secret subject of which he is a master.

With the Classics

Some cry up Haydn, some Mozart,
Just as the whim bites; for my part,
I do not care a farthing candle
For either of them, or for Handel.
Cannot a man live free and easy,
Without admiring Pergolesi?
Or thro' the world with comfort go,
That never heard of Doctor Blow?
So help me God, I hardly have.

—CHARLES LAMB



INVENTIONS EXHIBITION

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Letter from London

This Land of the Free

By RICHARD L. THOMAS, Daily Colonist Correspondent

THE reader had better be warned that all this is the result of a friend of mine happening to produce a baby. There's nothing very remarkable about that, but I felt that there was something a little remarkable about the father saying nonchalantly: "Do you know, I feel rather a cad for bringing him into the world."

That started the discussion of modern Britain—and no doubt much of it goes for modern Canada, too. If you try to wrap up our modern freedoms in one parcel there's not much paper or string needed. It is a very small parcel.

My friend started it off by commenting that he would be liable for a jail term if he did not register the new arrival, and there were, of course, other forms to be filled in—mostly, at this point, benevolent. There was the maternity grant for his wife, there was a family allowance to be claimed.

"The only real freedom for the individual is during his first five years of life," said my friend. Any streak of individualism left vanishes at five when, by law, he has to go to school or at least receive education. Then the law is after him right until he goes to his grave and pays purchase tax on his coffin handles."

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This "land of the free" adds up rather funnily. Compulsory education until the age of 15—whether parents want it or not. At 15 you have to go, under shocking penalties for failure, to collect your insurance card or you will not get a job. You can, if you are sufficiently unenlightened, continue education voluntarily after the age of 15—but it seems that less than 10 per cent of the junior population do so.

Armed with the famous "card" one gets a job—or many jobs. Youngsters these days use this period to rediscover freedom, a rather strange freedom surrounded by the barbed wire of economic discipline. No work, no pay, no fun. Each week a stamp has to be put on the card—the stamp designed to protect him in sickness, unemployment and to pay for his funeral. At the wages paid to modern youth he may well find himself paying income tax too.

At 17½ this land of the free demands that he register for military service. At the age of 18, although not old enough to vote, he is in one of the services and he stays there under threat of courts martial until he is 20. At that ripe old age he is "free" to choose his job and his way of life. A year after he finishes his compulsory national service, and assuming he is alive to take advantage of it, he becomes privileged to cast a vote for the people who dictate his measure of freedom.

He will find that income tax gets serious. He will find that purchase tax increases the price of everything he buys, or at least most things, by an average of one-third. On average nearly half his earned income is returned to the exchequer in direct and indirect taxation. If he buys a car more than half its running cost goes to the government, and if he buys a house he is beset by legal formalities, stamp duties repeated on many documents from agreements to mortgages. He has to pay to get married.

Freedom in the welfare state consists of paying out. We have even reached the point where we have to pay to enter some churches—St. George's Chapel, Windsor, for example is netting over $250,000 a year in shilling admission charges. And we have no security for that which we have bought. Your home may be requisitioned. It may be "compulsorily acquired" by some authority at a fraction of what you paid for it and there is nothing which can be done about it. Town planning authorities may dictate whether you may have a television aerial, and if so, what kind. You may be fined if you have an electrical gadget without a suppressor.

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The only redeeming feature about the whole set-up is that if the state finally knocks you flat and makes you incapable of standing on your own feet you may claim unemployment pay or "national assistance." If you withstand all the rigors of freedom during a busy life you will come out of it with a pension insufficient to support the most modest requirements.

"There was a time," said my friend, "when the function of government was to see to it that one citizen did not injure or annoy another or his property. That may remain in theory but it is the government which inflicts injury these days. The trouble is that it has become an unrecognizable giant. We talk of it as 'they' and 'it.' We forget that it is really us and we haven't got enough sense to control ourselves. And not only governments—other things we have created from corporations to trades unions."

He looked at the new arrival. "Poor little blighter," he said.

He is. He is going to be educated the way the state decrees, whether he wants it or not; he's going into the army, navy or air force; he is going to stamp his card or go to jail; he is going to join a trades union, and he is going to pay half his earnings to the government. If he becomes successful he will give the government more than 90 per cent of his earnings. He's going to fill in forms from the moment he is old enough to write and sign a school register. He is going to be harassed by every sort of official from the income tax men to the sanitary inspector, from the policeman to the district engineer.

It is remarkable but true. If he decides that railway fares are too high and buys a car for transport the tax on fuel is increased to make good the railway losses. If he decides to drown his sorrows in drink he will have to pay eightpence to the government on every pint.

Said my friend: "You know we've been so busy yelling about freedom, our free institutions and our noble heritage that we haven't really noticed that it has all gone. My hope is that that little blighter will do something about it—seems that we are too old."

It is hard—but it is a true commentary on modern Britain.

$26,000 for an Eye

(From The Owen Sound Sun-Times)

THE case of the 12-year-old Toronto boy who lost the sight of one eye as the result of being hit by a BB gun pellet will do a great deal to underline the dangers of allowing young boys indiscriminate use of this type of weapon. Actually the injury is likely to be passed over by many of the parents of boys who use this type of gun. But the fact that the boy and his father are suing the lad who fired the shot for $26,000 will make an impression. Things like that really make parents take notice of what their children are doing.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

The power of the Soviet H-bomb is said to be less than America's, which should be reassuring to people who would rather be run over by a five-ton truck than a 10-ton truck.

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Who remembers when you could finance a whole Christmas for what the gift wrapping costs today?

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"One of the most tactful men I ever knew," says a manufacturer, "was the man who fired me from my very first job. He called me in and said, 'Son, I don't know how we're going to get along without you, but starting Monday we're going to try'."

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A plane is that useful tool with which the household handyman changes a door that won't open into one that won't stay shut.

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The trouble with teaching reading by the phonics system is that a child is liable to conclude that punkin is pronounced pump-kin.

Give Us Light

IRKED by the unbridled optimism evident in the current pronouncement on atomic progress, a rector in a Lincolnshire village was constrained to observe in his sermon on a recent Sunday:

"Here we sit by our paraffin lamps and read about plans to launch earth satellites and space rockets. Maybe after the trifling venture of reaching the moon has been accomplished the authorities will attempt the gigantic task of bringing electricity a few yards down the lane."

The Packsack

OF GREGORY CLARK

IF YOU have, in your quiet way, tried lately to buy a lamp or an electric light fixture, a cushion, a small simple table for the living room or even a plain easy chair to fit into some corner, you likely had an awful time. The art of design in this country—industrial design—appears to be under the impression that the function of a designer is to avoid simplicity as if it were poison.

Everything he designs must strive with all its might to steal the show wherever it is set in the house. A sense of mild monstrosity assails you as you walk through the furniture, fixtures, chinaware and similar departments of the stores. And even when, perhaps under fierce demand, a designer does achieve practically perfect simplicity, say in a lamp that would almost go into your living room without behaving like a cancan dancer or a snapping turtle, you discover on close inspection that the wilful rascal has given it a periwinkle blue base or, like an afterthought, given the stand a gaggy little twist here, an off-beat jog there.

There is a wilfulness about present-day designers that suggests they want to be noticed. They don't want even a sofa cushion to go out anonymously. If you want a cushion that will go and sit quietly on the chesterfield, you have to sew it yourself. Even if you buy a little end table to be handy in the corner, what does it do but yell "Hey!" at you, adding its assertive little self to the pandemonium of the room.

In this great era of self-expression, the din is increasing. The overtones come, of course, from the architects. So functional, so pure, simple and effortless in design are the new buildings that they blare like bugles on a quiet Sunday. Motor car design and decor went so hayware last year in the effort to make everybody feel they were driving self-expression cars that most of them have had to be repainted, or else have been stored; for I haven't noticed any pink and chartreuse ones around lately. I don't know how the UN building in New York is regarded by the intellectuals of our time, but on first sight and on last sight, it looked to me like a wisecrack.

Letters to the Editor

Higher Costs To Be Expected

The main contention of candidates for municipal office in Saanich is that inefficiency is causing a heavy deficit in the cost of the sewer project as estimated five years ago. Reeve Casey and Councillor Passmore, chairman of the sewer committee, both spoke at Monday's election meeting in Royal Oak and pointed out in reply to hecklers that the deficit was mainly due to the unforeseen increase in wages since 1950. In those days many economic experts were expecting a recession, which would have meant a lower wage scale. So the making of estimates was more or less guesswork.

Today it is the fashion to get out and slaughter over this matter, which has followed a general pattern. The Victoria Arena was originally estimated at about $300,000, but inflation took its toll and the utilmate cost was around $1,000,000. Vancouver's new library started in 1946 with an estimate of $1,000,000 and is now $500,000 over spent and still unfinished. The same thing is happening to the $2,750,000 civic auditorium in Vancouver, funds originally allotted being eaten up by inflation.

Reeve Casey is doing a fine job and, as a former Saanich councillor remarked to me the other day, has done more for Saanich than any other man of recent years. As a Saanich taxpayer of fairly long standing, I would be sorry to see either him or Councillor Passmore displaced. We can not afford to lose good men.

G. B. SCOTT.

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In All Fairness

I think I convey the feeling of a great many of your readers when I protest against the biased, distorted manner which your paper has reported on the mayoralty contest and has reviewed the record of the city council over the past four years. This slanted propaganda can best be exposed by an examination of some of the issues raised.

PROCEDURE—Mayor Harrison has been described as a "stickler on proper legal procedure, a thorn in the flesh of aldermen who want to get things done." This falsely implies that the mayor's insistence on adherence to proper procedure is but a delaying device and unnecessary red tape. But you should know that council must act strictly in accordance with the Municipal Act and other governing statutes, which define what a council may do and how it must be done. If council should act beyond its powers or proceed irregularly then its actions would be invalid, and if it involved the spending of public funds, it could render members of council personally liable for such illegal expenditure.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE — The press has stated "Diverging aims and clashing personalities have prevented council from proceeding with plans for a new span." The mayor has never opposed this project in principle, and it would be a simple matter to advocate its immediate construction at our expense. But the mayor and other members of council feel that because of its military and naval use the federal government can eventually be prevailed upon to contribute to its cost, and that provincial aid might be forthcoming either under its over-all capital city assistance or as part of a plan to establish a second outlet up-Island. Surely this reasoning supports the suggestion of the mayor that we postpone any action at least until the next sitting of the provincial legislature.

ZONING—The press has stated that "This study went aground on the rocks of proper legal form and phraseology" and that the only result was a yacht pool. In the first place it should be realized that a zoning by-law is one of the most responsible pieces of legislation that a council can enact, for it affects the very essence of our freedom — the right to do what we see fit with our own proprty.

The mayor is not opposed to zoning, which in some form is an obvious necessity, if a city is to expand in an orderly fashion, but he apparently does feel that Victoria should interfere as little as possible with the freedom of residential and commercial building. Surely this inclination towards less oppressive laws and regulations is refreshing in the face of the growing tendency towards increased governmental restriction and control.

The zoning by-law which the council was asked to approve holus bolus was not even considered practical in many respects by the building inspector, who would be the one who would have to administer it, and apparently even the council members themselves were not thoroughly familiar with all its implications. Thus would you have wanted the mayor and council to endorse such a vital by-law without further study and consideration? I suggest not, unless you want action only for action's sake.

Again, Mayor Harrison has been the target for criticism in respect to the construction of the yacht pool out of our capital grant fund. In the first place, as a sporting centre in the summer for youngsters with their boats, and as a roller and ice rink in the winter, there is no reason why it should not prove its worth. But even if the project was ill-advised and too costly, yet the mayor was only one of a committee of six who recommended this plan to the provincial government which then gave it its final approval. So in fairness, why has Mayor Harrison been singled out as the target for criticism from the press?

DON ANDERSON.

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The Symphony Express

I think the musical people of this district would do well to take advantage of the enterprise shown by The Vancouver Island Coach Lines in making it possible to attend the Victoria Symphony Sunday concerts for an over-all charge of only $2.75 (the latter covers transportation to Victoria and back and an excellent seat at the concert).

Those residents who availed themselves of this opportunity last Sunday will, I am sure, not easily forget the inspired performance of both the orchestra and the guest pianist, Mr. Glenn Gould.

We left Duncan at 12.15 p.m. and arrived in Victoria at 1.15 p.m., giving us plenty of time to get lunch before the concert at 3 p.m.

After the concert we were entertained to tea on the stage. This friendly gesture gave us the privilege of mixing with Mr. Gruber and the members of the orchestra.

We arrived back in Duncan at 7 p.m. after a most memorable excursion.

The next Sunday concert is, I believe, on January 15. Why not make up a party?

F. G. ALDERSEY.

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Chance for Planning

We don't wish to hurt anyone's feelings, but if any of our city fathers think Victoria's environs reach only to Tolmie avenue and property in that vicinity is out in the woods, such thoughts bear no relation whatever to the facts.

The need for the judgment and services of planning engineers was never so obvious as at present in this area. Men with wide experience behind them, a wide horizon before them, Civic bodies, including town planning commissions should include at least one member with those qualifications.

The proposal to use the Topaz park brickyard area for the dump-and-cover method of garbage disposal is ill-conceived, ill-considered. Anyone who has hitherto looked, or now looks upon, this area as a waste unsightly area of little value has no comprehension of the over-all needs of Greater Victoria, of adequate planning, and the opportunity it offers, right under their noses but unrecognized, to transform it into a useful, modernistic segment of a new and better city.

Rough terrain, or a building site that looks like a shambles, doesn't mean a thing to planning engineers, or the construction industry. How they can transform it is well known. That is their job.

This entire area should be fully surveyed by the engineer's staff, a definite, modern plan of utilization worked out, sewer and water services installed, existing humps levelled off, and outside fill brought in to establish a mean level, and a satisfactory grade in relation to adjoining streets.

All coastal cities are limited in their expansion to 50 peg. cent of their perimeter. This is particularly true of Victoria, at the end of an island. We have a congested business section, antiquated streets, a modern parking problem.

The brickyard area offers an excellent location and opportunity for a well planned wholesale warehouse section planned for efficient loading, unloading and storage of goods brought from the mainland of Canada and the U.S.A. in carload lots; with all-weather protection, ample parking space, etc.

J. BULLIVANT.

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Freedom of Choice

I was very interested as well as amused by the letter from R. Sheridan recently in your paper. I think we all feel the same way, that a perfect set of teeth, possibly paid for by a shorter life, is not much use in the long run.

The thinking public know of one advantage of fluoride intake as regards the teeth, but they are beginning to feel it is not worth while when it means introducing a continuous flow of these minerals into the body from which one can not get away as water is essential to all life.

Much as we like to trust those we call "experts" who study these things, we know the tendency of specialists, who think along one line of thought to be biased in their viewpoint. If they could realize that people generally these days are not ignorant but must consider any important change from all sides, the experts themselves would understand that this attitude is essential to give the greatest good o all.

Lots of us have kept our teeth by other means; but for those who want to try something new, could this not be bottled for sale?

Those dentists and doctors who have faith in this might like to invest their money in a plant to work in conjunction with the aluminum industry for this purpose; then we, the public, could remain free to choose, as with all other medicines in this country of ours that we can still call free.

(Mrs.) S. ANDERSON.

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Safe-Driving Day

May I express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to you for your continuing efforts and outstanding support during the S-D Day campaign.

You have, by your splendid news items, commentaries and editorials created a greater understanding and active support at all levels of government and all segments of community life in the interest of safety upon our highways. May we have the faith and courage to heed your admonitions.

Permit me to pay tribute to the man, Mr. A. G. Veglia of the California Motor Vehicle Branch who, while recovering from major injuries received in an automobile accident in which two persons were killed, had the inspiration for the Safe Driving Day program and the fortitude to carry it through that others may be saved from injury and death upon our highways.

GEORGE LINDSAY.

Superintendent of Motor Vehicles,
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The Champ

Knowledge of boxing history paid off for Dr. Joyce Brothers, New York psychologist, when she went for the $64,000 question on a television quiz show. The question came in seven parts and she answered all seven correctly. Her daughter, Lisa Robin, age two, was a great help as she was studying volumes on boxing.—(CPC.)

Above All —Lenin

MOSCOW (UP) — The Russian government was reported yesterday planning to resume construction of the "Palace of the Soviets," designed to become the world's tallest building before it was abandoned at the beginning of the Second World War.

The country's leading architects, sculptors and builders have held a public meeting to discuss plans for a giant statue of Nikolai Lenin several stories high to stand atop the building.

The "palace" itself will be more than 100 stories high and with the statue will be taller than New York's Empire State Building.

The foundation of the building was laid in 1937 and the steel framework had risen several floors by 1941. When the Germans approached Moscow the steelwork was removed and converted into anti-tank obstacles.

Earl Attlee's Vacant Throne Expected To Go to Gaitskell

LONDON (Reuters)—Hugh Gaitskell, former chancellor of the exchequer, refused to withdraw Thursday from the contest for leadership of the Labor party.

He rejected a proposal that he and leftwinger Aneurin Bevan pull out of the race, leaving a clear field for deputy leader Herbert Morrison, 67, to succeed Clement Attlee who retired Wednesday and was created an earl by the Queen.

Political observers predict an all-out fight for the leadership with Gaitskell, 49-year-old arch-enemy of Bevan, favored to win.

Bevan, 58, who had been given little chance of winning, had said he would withdraw if Gaitskell would do the same. Both were approached by a group of Labor members of Parliament aiming to avert a battle for the leadership.

Gaitskell told reporters: "I propose to allow my name to stand. I have the highest regard for Mr. Morrison but I think the party should have the opportunity of choosing."

Bevan first disclosed the move to give the leadership to Morrison. In agreeing to drop out if others did, he reflected the fear among his supporters of a victory for Gaitskell.

The Bevanites, though no lovers of Morrison, would much prefer him as leader. If Morrison were chosen, his term would be for a comparatively short term because of his age. Thus it would give Bevan, whose influence with the party now is at low ebb, a chance to build up his strength.

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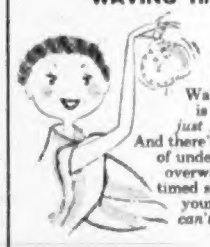

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But Rabbit Still Rarebit

Virus Unsporting

By ROBERT MUSEL

LONDON (UP) — Britain squared off against its chief agricultural enemy, the rabbit, two years ago and promptly floored him with a heavy dose of myxomatosis virus.

But it can't deliver the same punch for the knockout because under the stiff upper lip of the British there is a broad streak of sentimentality toward animals.

Besides chaps, it isn't . . . Well, dash it all, it isn't quite sporting y'know.

Why it was all right to permit the deadly virus to slaughter 199 out of every 200 rabbits in the island in the first place—and now isn't all right to finish the job is something as complicated as the British character.

For even though the stakes are very high about $42,000,000 a year and going up, the rabbit has succeeded in lining up some powerful forces on its side, in addition to the most powerful force of all—the thing the rabbit does better than almost any other animal.

This week, two years later, the minister of agriculture, Derek Heathcote Amory, told Parliament that almost all of England and Wales was clear of rabbits.

And although the value of agriculture products has jumped millions of pounds, there was an uneasy feeling that myxomatoses is not sporting and should be curbed. TV helped consolidate the opposition by showing a horrifying close-up of a diseased and blinded rabbit stumbling aimlessly around.

So the government has forbidden the deliberate spreading of the virus. Sportsmen, poachers, sentimentalists, city folk and pet shop owners are jubilant. So are the blue-blooded foxhunters.

Why? Well they reason that with all the rabbits gone the foxes would begin killing chickens and lambs and then the country would get rid of foxes.

Farmers still can get rid of rabbits with shotguns and any other methods except myxomatosis. But most experts think it can't be done. For when he doesn't have a virus, the rabbit is the hardest-working family raiser in the world.

Last To Quit

Izmazo Kano, 39, a Japanese soldier who has been hiding out in a Borneo jungle village for 10 years, arrives in Hong Kong on his way to Tokyo. When his unit was wiped out by the Allies he was told: "Don't surrender—hide out." This he has been doing since the end of Second World War. In the meantime, he married a native girl. (CPC)

Constable Freed On Bribe Charge

VANCOUVER (CP)—A charge of attempting to obtain a bribe brought against police constable Chester Dobson was dismissed in police court here Thursday.

Magistrate Gordon Scott also dismissed a charge of extortion laid after cab driver Ronald Dey said the officer suggested he leave "a couple of jugs" or some money after being let off without a speeding ticket.

"I am asked to infer that the accused meant to say to the cab driver that if you don't leave liquor or money . . . a charge will be laid," the magistrate said.

"That is an inference I can not make."

Magistrate Scott said if the facts are true, the case may warrant police discipline for misconduct.

FINE SONGSTER

The rose-breasted grosbeak, one of the best songster birds in eastern Canada, is smaller than a robin.

Festive Trees Greet PoWs

FRIEDLAND CAMP, Germany (Reuters)—Five large Christmas trees decorated with electric candles were set up here Thursday for the arrival next week of 600 German prisoners of war released by the Russians.

The prisoners are due to cross the border next Tuesday. They will spend Christmas at home for the first time in more than 10 years.

S. F. Tilden, President of Tilden Rent-a-Car System, announces its affiliation with the world-wide Avis Rent-A-Car System.

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It is expected that the change of name from Tilden to Avis will be approved by the shareholders of the Tilden System at the annual meeting which will be held at the Seigniory Club on January 30th and 31st, 1956. It will be a change of name only, with the new Avis Rent-A-Car System (Canada) Limited retaining its identity as a Canadian organization, wholly owned and managed by Canadians.

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Under the amendments the Indians would "no longer be a segregated and protected group," a spokesman said last night.

Delegates from Indian reservations all over Canada will attend the conference.

Attending from British Columbia will be Chief William Scow of Alert Bay, Frank Calder, CCF MLA, representing the northwest coast; Caleb Williams of Bella Bella, Chief Andy Paul, Indian Brotherhood president of North Vancouver, Tom Johnson of Alkali Lake, and James Antoine of Fraser Lake.

Former Slave Dies at 141

CINCINNATI (AP)—Joseph Nicholas Osborn, who claimed to be 141 years old, died Thursday at his home. Mrs. Savannah Jane Williams, 55, his only child, said Osborn often talked about having been born at Lebanon, Ky., and of having been a slave. Nicholas observed what he said was his 141st birthday last June 14.

For Children's Sake

Murder Charged In Cellar Burial

CASPER, Wyo. (AP)—A 42-year-old mother was arrested Wednesday night and charged with murder in the cellar-burial death of her husband's second wife.

Mrs. Rose Alexander was jailed after telling a coroner's jury she buried the body of Mrs. Barbara Alexander, 27, in the cellar of a Casper home and concealed her death because "it would hurt the children."

The grey-haired mother of two was arrested before the jury decided that Barbara Alexander "came to her death by a fractured skull as a result of a blow or blows struck by a person or persons unknown."

In hesitant, barely audible tones, Rose testified that Barbara's death on July 18, 1953, was accidental. Asked why she failed to report it, she said:

"I was very frightened. It would hurt the children. They would think the worst of me."

The husband, James, 48-year-old former Casper high school instructor now employed at Worland, Wyo., testified he knew nothing of the incident until Monday, when his wife's body was unearthed in the basement of the home he has been building.

Tug Skipper May Come To Victoria

Capt. Harley Blagborne, skipper of the Island Tug & Barge Company tug Sidbury, now on a record salvage tow, may be flown by helicopter from his ship to be a guest of honor at the Victoria Chamber of Commerce Christmas party Dec. 16.

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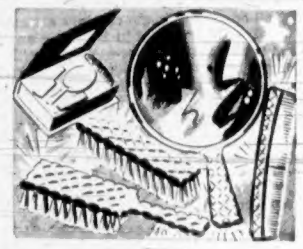

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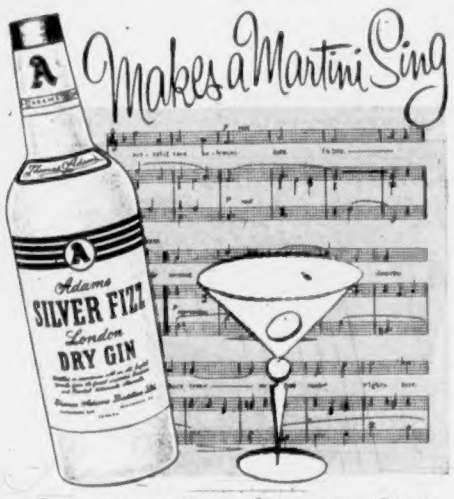

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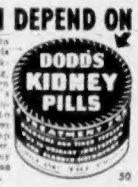

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Racing Selections

FAIR GROUNDS
1—Canary Island, Bright Answer, Ruffles.
2—Boural, John J. Jr., Cocoa Al.
3—Amber Away, Tiger Dancer, Best Story.
4—Master Flint, Top Challenge, Heart Of Stone.
5—Una Whitby, Sir Lari, Take Two.
6—Echo Rock, Lebanon Lad, Burnt Child.
7—Felda, Chara, Pine Top.
8—Firose, Top Guy, East Of Suez.
9—In Class, Perfect Mister, Oscar J.
Best—Amberg Away.

TANFORAN
1—Handaway, Sol Y Sombra, K. West.
2—Approved, Gallant Choice, Ardent Lady.
3—Bullbat, Mival, Anaesthetist.
4—Larks Fly, Mad Me, Four By Five.
5—High Chalk, King's Carnival, War Marshal.
6—Wood Wind, Beact Ann Deag, Princess Patch.
7—Kelly Kile, Pioneer, Blue Tweed.
8—Two Seconds, Crystal Pass, Boss A Bang.
9—Uralion, Bendigo, Moon Race, Best—Bullbat.

TROPICAL PARK
1—Dark Patrol, White Light, Idle Memory.
2—Speedie Steele, Bobby's Bull, Thats-Delight.
3—Rapid Count, Golden Zipper, Hozay Boy.
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5—T. Gibson, Intelligent, Calkary.
6—Tiruque, Optimum, Meiner.
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8—Mission Road, Retaliation, Andrch.
9—Hot Pursuit, Bladens, Eastern Glow.
Best—Laurel Springs.

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Race Results, Overnight Entries

Fair Grounds

First Race—
Blackamoor (Nelson) $7.60 $4.40 $3.60
Diddlin Mac (Baird) 6.80 3.80
Air Battle (Dever) 2.80
Time, 1:11 1-5
Also: River Flows, Flaming Rock, Turtle, Hustle Out, Dateline, Sylvan Rock, Lex's Son, Fancy Gent, Elias O.

Second Race—
Gallant (Broussard) $10.20 $5.20 $4.20
Red Sultan (Dodson) 13.40 5.60
Suitourself (Baldwin) 6.20
Time, 1:13.
Also: Whs Hurry, Carl's Abbie, Kings for All, Tafita, Edurl, Bambouk, High Jackie, Sweet Infinity, In Deep.
Daily double paid $56.40.

Third Race—
Mr. Yeh Can (Heckmann) $27.80 $11.00 $5.80
Cop Winder (Bohenko) 15.80 8.00
Time, 1:14 2-5
Also: Babacha, Buggles Ferry, Vallou Corpy, Freedom Shot, Kind Moud, Flighty Lad, Play Top, Fancy Bull.

Fourth Race—
Burk's Freedom (Carstens) $34.40 $10.00 $6.00
Columbus Bound (Broussard) 5.20 3.80
Brau Inn (Lidberg) 4.80
Time, 1:48 1-5
Also: Fair Strike, Benny, Cherished, Baby Bailie, Atom Axe, Lone Piper.

Fifth Race—
Baby's Delight (Baird) $8.80 $4.40 $3.40
Flaming Rock (Crawford) 13.60 3.80
Rushing Tide (Pitre) 3.00
Time, 1:12 3-5
Also: Ripper, Tumbling Alter, Xipo, Pizem, Little Colonel, Nemesis, Little F., Milk Baron.

Sixth Race—
Leather Kid (Heckmann) $19.80 $8.40 $5.60
Roger Devil (Dodson) 5.80 4.20
Adams Off Ox (Baird) 7.60
Time, 1:11 3-5
Also: Sweet Josie, Golly, Jim's Whim, Happy Memories, Nonnipe Jo, Up Stage, Mill Neck.

Seventh Race—
Deliberate (Baldwin) $18.40 $6.80 $5.60
Desree (Dubulardo) 7.00 5.60
Squire Wilson (Sinker) 6.40
Time, 1:47 1-5.
Also: Hontenief, Tarzan, Char, Boots, Dark Theater, Bonnand, Revi Sir.

Eighth Race—
Skippy's First (Nelson) $11.20 $4.20 $4.80
Royal Seine (Ledger) 4.60 4.80
Gratuity (Derrow) 8.40
Time, 1:38 1-5.
Also: Marvana, Atom Bomb, Herr's Rock, Crustiken, Cisco House, Mr. Action, Erzardo Boy, Belle of Blue, Battleworn.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:
Short Cattle 119 — Bright Answer 115
Steersman 116 — Sly Hoss 112
Canary Island 113 — Ruffles 109
Texas Till 114 — Gus Fan 112
Machigonne 112 — My Limited 112
Bushy Blonde 109 — Royal Star 112
Bulmari 115 — Freedom First 110
Sweet Freedom 109 — Barbareba 112
Crackenstar 115 — Air Mission 112

SECOND RACE — Six furlongs:
Boural 115 — Believeuwill 115
Hurricane 115 — Lucky Sweep 107
Tenacious Ace 118 — Dark Hollow 112
A-Scoiled Brat 107 — Blossom 107
A-Subjective 115 — Cocoa Al 110
Landmark — John J. Jr 115
Blues 104 — A-Entry

THIRD RACE — Six furlongs:
Amber Away 113 — Jet Mark 118
A-Kernel Blu 110 — Rex's Elate 109
Tiger Dancer 114 — Gold Bullion 116
Summer Blues 102 — A-Best Story 112
Bear Pine 110 — A-Entry

FOURTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Heart of Stone 116 — Grey And Small 119
Top Challenge 119 — Queen Rosbird 111
Lady O'Fortune 116 — Nancy E. 116
Shy Request 119 — Jeep Flyer 114
Praline Pearl 116 — Wise Fighter 119
Happy Lad 119 — Roseflare 111
Master Pilot 119 — A-Pizen 111
A-Pincatag 119 — A-Entry
The Bell Regal 116
Flying Mack 119

FIFTH RACE — 1 1-16th miles:
Una Whitby 113 — Theatricalady 108
Take Two 111 — Carlo C. 114
Triple Bee 118 — Sir Lari 116
Stratonaut 114

SIXTH RACE — 1 1-16th miles:
Lebanon Lad 113 — Echo Rock 108
A-Ja Ja 118 — Alternative 121
Miss Joanne 116 — Burnt Child 113
A-My Fault 113 — A-Entry

SEVENTH RACE — 1 1-16th miles:
Felda 106 — A-Tonight 117
Chara 112 — True Bruce 110
A-Bob's Pamela 107 — Antigua 117
Pine Top 118 — A-Entry

EIGHTH RACE — 1 1-16th miles:
Red Warbler 115 — East Of Suez 110
Teh Guy 110 — Lotrope 113
Star Crater 119 — Armed Bandit 117
Eleco 116 — Nora's Watch 107
Crossnelle 113

SUB RACE — Six furlongs:
Bustinegal 107 — Old Pat 118
Fleur City 118 — Four Pete 110
Big Result 118 — Oscar J. 107
In Class 115 — Galla Vixen 109
Perfect Mister 119 — Monam 111
Fancy Dee 109 — Tris 104

Tanforan

First Race—
Dennie (Pullido) $9.40 $5.10 $2.90
Ada Girl (Nelson) 6.50 3.90
Darling Ruth (Lewis) 2.80
Time—1:15 1-5.
Also: Bizato, Nevada Flash, Soda Boy, Knole Breeze, Written Excuse, Sassy Sheila.

Second Race—
Marked Action (Pullido) $5.20 $ 3.70 $2.70
Stock Exchange (Errico) 11.60 5.90
Little Nemo (Petersen) 3.90
Time—1:14.
Daily double, Dennis to Marked Action, paid $27.40.
Also: La Runce, Pass Below, Rice's Regards, Reservation, Melwood Boy, Gollit, In Reward.

Third Race—
Best Hoit (Francis) $9.70 $4.70 $2.70
Navy Look (Lewis) 4.30 2.70
Manfonian (Valenzuela) 2.30
Time—1:14 2-5.
Also: Mandatory, Keen Edge, Wise Jax.

Fourth Race—
(Special event—no wagering.)
Correlation (Gibson).
Tavertine (Valenzuela).
Pharamar (Erico).
Time—1:13 3-5.
Also: None.

Fifth Race—
Johnnie Mike (Velzke) $3.50 $2.60 $2.30
Flying Bull (Lewis) 2.90 2.30
Mama King (Gilligan) 2.40
Time—1:12 3-5.
Also: Powder Burns, Best Sickle, Marooned.

Sixth Race—
Dark Coco (Manse) $7.70 $5.00 $3.70
Rickie Round (Scheib) 7.80 5.30
Bridle Rings (Gibson) 3.70
Time—1:13 4-5.
Also: Tub-Dip, Mani Sweep, Smokey Point, Double Jake.

Seventh Race—
Dr. Bunny (Valenzuela) $3.40 $2.80 $2.30
Golden Rage (Manse) 5.80 3.10
Lover Boy (Gilligan) 2.70
Time—1:12 3-5.
Also: War Garland, Stor Of Russ, Brown Warbler.

Eighth Race—
Sonla H. (Robertson) $36.80 $8.20 $4.40
Caps Sun (Valenzuela) 3.00 2.50
Prince Alpine (Lucero) 6.40
Time—1:51 2-5.
Also: Copacetic, Maybe Baby, Friend Ed, Tony Jr.

Ninth Race—
La Jet (Velzke) $8.20 $5.10 $4.20
Tirnanog (Lewis) 5.50
Family Till (Wright) 8.80
Time—1:14 1-5.
Also: Ball Hoo, Sal-Re, Virzie G., Peu Fain, Pioneer Spirit.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:
Sol Y Sombra 118 — Classic II 118
Sheik Question 110 — Real Fleet 118
Nebel 119 — Pima 115
K. West 115 — Handaway 115
Nevada Envy 110 — Lady Scallop 115
Hap's Girl 107 — She Also Did 113

SECOND RACE — Mile and 70 yards:
Little Trinket 113 — Walking Dream 113
Approved 108 — War Cruiser 118
Happy Dale 113 — Gallant Choice 116
Ardent Lady 113 — Just Go 114
Speedy Flame 108 — Louie G. 118
Bella Sorella 113 — Fire Happened 116

THIRD RACE — Mile and sixteenth:
Atlantic Gale 111 — Anaesthetist 111
Mival 111 — Bullbat 118
Wake Up 110 — Step Along 122
Red Junior 113

FOURTH RACE — Mile and sixteenth:
Steven C. 113 — Panicker 118
Mad Me 110 — Gallana 106
Larks Fly 118 — Pana Way 113
Mr. Truckle 118 — Four By Five 114
Cloudchaser 118 — Little Damsel 110
Ice Bug 118 — Dandy Pomp 106
Liberty Lee 118 — Lucky's Doll 110
Trinolaria 106

FIFTH RACE — Six furlongs:
High Chalk 114 — War Marshal 114
Gentle Ace 109 — Take Leave 114
Daily Profit 114 — King's Carnival 106

SIXTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Speeds Count 116 — Beact Ann Deag 122
Full Impact 106 — Fiori Dominno 111
Mirxman 114 — Princess Patch 116
Fastness 122 — Wood Wind 108
Pappus 116 — War Veil 113
Speed 'N Valor 111

SEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
A-Ole Travis 114 — Royal Dust 109
Inir 120 — Husky II 109
War Trust 114 — Pancho's Cover 112
A-King's Mutiny 114 — A-Entry

EIGHTH RACE — Mile and sixteenth:
She's A Bang 114 — Crystal Pass 122
Can Locate 116 — Two Seconds 119
Pat's Hope 111 — Grandma's Jack 119
Rambladero 114

SUB RACE — Six furlongs:
Chant's Affair 119 — Moon Race 115
Silent Shoe 117 — Free Roll 114
Texas Playgirl 113 — Monza 108
Consella 119 — Bendigo 119
Galilee 122 — Mother Martha 111
War Contract 119 — Bar Queen 106
Latchaway 109 — Saint Dude 114
Pete's Question 114 — Snipes Ridge 109

Minor Hockey To Feature Leading Clubs

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts.
Bombers	4	3	15	5	5	8
Maroons	3	2	11	10	7	6
Senators	2	3	13	13	8	4
Capitals	0	4	8	18	9	0

Bombers will be seeking to run their undefeated streak in the Victoria Minor Hockey Association's peewee division to five games when they clash with second-place Maroons Dec. 17 at 7 a.m. in Memorial Arena.

Bombers scored their fourth win last weekend by defeating Capitals, 4-2, while the Maroons lost to Senators, 5-1. Saturday's other scheduled peewee contest will send Senators against Capitals at 8 a.m.

Statistics for the peewee division released by league officials show that Dennis Taylor of the Bombers and Fred Moulson of Maroons lead with four goals apiece. David Woodley and Bob Knezacky of Bombers are tied with Barry Richardson and Ron Springford of Senators with three goals.

The Bantam division's Maroons play Capitals at 7 a.m. on December 15, and Senators meet Capitals at 9 a.m. December 17.

Workman Wants Out As Financier of Als

MONTREAL (CP) — Sports columnist Andy O'Brien says in the Montreal Star that three men who sold Montreal Alouettes of the professional Big Four football league a year ago are prepared to buy the team back.

The men are Roy Robertson and Charley Stone, of Montreal, and Lew Hayman, now of Toronto.

O'Brien says he has been told that Ted Workman, Als principal financial backer, is feeling more than a little depressed about his heavy financial venture into football.

He added:

"Even with the Grey Cup split it's doubtful that he cleared 10 per cent on his huge investment.

"If he wants to sell there's an offer being readied—it may even be delivered by now."

O'Brien quotes Robertson as saying Tuesday night that Hayman, former general manager of Alouettes, would be prepared to return to a similar post on a three-way investment basis.

Robertson said the planned interlocking schedule with the West now makes football an "interesting business gamble we are ready to take."

Wooldridge Sent To Minor League

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (UP)—The St. Louis Cardinals Thursday assigned 26-year-old Floyd Wooldridge, a righthanded pitcher, to Omaha of the American Association to make room for veteran catcher Walker Cooper.

The Cards reacquired Cooper this week from the Chicago Cubs.

Remember When:

Winnipeg Blue Bombers pounced on an Ottawa Rough Rider fumble in the dying minutes of the game to win the Grey Cup by 8-7 on a snow-covered field at Ottawa 18 years ago today. Art Stevenson kicked the winning point in the West's second Grey Cup triumph in history.

SMALLEST PLANET

Mercury, the planet nearest the sun, has an estimated diameter of about 3,000 miles.

May Race in 1956

Nashua Named Top Race Horse; Veteran Trainer Scores Twice

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Behlair stud's Nashua Thursday was named American horse racing champion of 1955.

The Thoroughbred Racing Association's board of selectors, 21 secretaries of 40 tracks throughout the United States, made the choice. It came as no surprise that Nashua was named three-year-old champion.

Nashua's latest honor was announced at the annual TRA dinner and a trophy was presented to the great thoroughbred's trainer, Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons, who said:

"I feel proud and grateful for myself, the late Mr. (William) Woodward and the horse. I consider Nashua the best horse I ever trained—better than Gallant Fox or Johnstown.

"I'd like to see Nashua continue to race as a four-year-old which was the intention of Mr. Woodward before his death, and retirement to stud he planned for the colt for 1957."

Nashua won six of eight races as a two-year-old and triumphed in 10 of 12 starts this year, including seven with $100,000 or more in gross money. His 1955 earnings of $792,550 set a record for a race horse and made his total winnings $945,415, second only to Citation's $1,085,760.

Misty Morn, from the Wheatley stable of Mrs. H. C. Phipps, was the champion three-year-old in 1955.

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VIEWS OF SPORT

By Red Smith

In February of 1895 when Ed Barrow was running the baseball club in Paterson, N.J., he encountered an old sandlot player named Shad Gwilliam in a saloon. "I hear you're looking for players," Gwilliam said. Ed looked up from his beer. "I could use a few phenoms," he said indifferently.

When Ed Barrow was telling the story a few years before his death, repeating the dialogue word for word as though his encounter with Gwilliam had taken place an hour before, one [illegible] was struck with the inaccuracy [illegible] "Phenom," apparently, was a cliche in the gay '90s as it is in the atomic '50s.

"There's a fellow loose out in Mansfield, Pa.," Gwilliam said, "who's going to be the greatest ball player in the world. All his actions are good; he's good at anything he does. Name of John Wagner—Honus, they call him."

Ed knew about young Wagner, who had played with Steubenville, O., in '95, but was under the impression that he had signed with Toronto. No, Gwilliam told him, that was Jonn's brother, Al.

"There were three Wagner brothers," Ed used to relate, "and the oldest was supposed to be the best ball player but he was so bowlegged he was ashamed to put on a uniform. He was an engineer on the old Panhandle line between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. Al never made the major leagues. Honus was the youngest."

Trackside Price, $125

The tale of what followed the tip from Gwilliam has been told a hundred times, and it was retold today in the obituaries on John Peter Wagner. Let's have it just once more in Ed Barrow's words:

"I grabbed the next train. In Mansfield, which is Carnegie now, I saw a red brick building with a sign, 'Wagner Bros., Pool Room.' A young fellow there told me Honus was down along the railroad tracks having a throwing contest.

"It was a winter day, but mild, with the snow melting. I walked along the right-of-way and here came eight or 10 young fellows. One was carrying a big rock, big as my fist. He had a derby on the back of his head with a chicken feather stuck in the band. While I was coming toward them, he turned and fired that big heavy rock a good 300 feet. I signed him then and there for $125 a month."

The obits told all the other famous Wagner stories, too, like the one about the time he was playing first base for Barrow and thrust his monstrous paw into a hip pocket for a wad of eating tobacco, and couldn't get it out until, catching an infielder's throw one-handed to retire the side, he could return to the bench and have the pocket cut away.

Sleight-of-Hand

If you were a Johnny-come-recently who never saw Honus Wagner until his playing days were long past and he was a coach travelling with the Pirates, it was always those hands of his that you thought about when his name was mentioned. Those tremendous mitts and the twinkling good humor in his ruddy old face.

When he was past 70 he was still going around with the Pirates, still getting into uniform every day, and still outlasting the youngsters in the club car sessions which brightened the hit-and-run exhibition tours from training camp in San Bernardino, Calif., to Pittsburgh.

Those barnstorming hauls can get more than slightly wearisome, and although it isn't recommended for the players there's no reason why coaches and manager and newspapermen and such can't shorten an evening with a few beers. If Honus ever missed one of these evenings, his absence somehow escaped notice, and if he ever backed off before the last round was served, that was a form reversal, too.

A stranger, not paying strict attention, might have got the impression that Honus was present only for company and not for refreshment, because it would appear that he always wasn't holding a glass. Actually, he had his with the others but it was literally true that when he wrapped one of those paws around a tumbler of beer, the glass was entirely concealed.

Hail in the Sunshine

As a shortstop, Honus got his throws across the diamond quickly and accurately, yet there was a common complaint about him among all the long parade of first basemen who passed through Forbes Field in his time. Catching a throw from him, they said, was like facing a firing squad, for along with the ball there would come a hail of dirt and pebbles. When Honus reached for a grounder he got it, along with a tract of infield as well, and everything went with the throw.

He was, of course, an early and automatic choice for baseball's Hall of Fame. In fact, he was the safest bet of them all, not excluding the Ty Cobbs and Babe Ruths, because when the all-time all-star selectors pick a team of the ages, they argue about eight positions but never about the shortstop. Greatest of all shortstops in all opinions, he was also the greatest of all ball players in the judgment of men like John McGraw and Ed Barrow.

When you consider that Ed Barrow also handled a young fellow named Ruth, you have a measure of John Wagner.

Sugar Ray Fit for Tonight's Bout

Middleweight champion Bob Olson, left, looks solemn as he hears Dr. John Pribble of the Illinois State Athletic Commission pronounce Sugar Ray Robinson's injured ankle fit. Perhaps Olson is remembering the 12-round knockout at the hands of Robinson in 1950 or the 15-round decision Sugar Ray gained in their second meeting in 1952. But Olson is a solid 3-1 favorite to whip the former middleweight titleholder, who at 35 is attempting a comeback.

Meets Olson Tonight

Robinson at Ring Crossroad In Comeback Bid for Crown

By JACK HAND

CHICAGO (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson's comeback reaches the all-or-nothing stage tonight when the former welterweight and middleweight champ faces Bobo Olson, current middleweight king, in a 15-round title match at Chicago Stadium.

Although 35-year-old Sugar Ray, a dancing dandy in his heyday, may be the sentimental favorite to those who fondly recall his boxing skill, the hard money in the betting markets has made Olson a 3-to-1 choice. If Robinson wins, he'll be the first ever to recapture the 160-pound title twice.

Because Robinson is on display and a title hangs in the balance, the radio-television sponsors are coughing up $15,000 so that the bout may be heard and seen on network broadcasts. Chicago and a 150-mile area, however, will be blacked out on TV to help the gate. The fight starts at 7 p.m. PST. The fight will be carried by radio and coast-to-coast on the CBC Dominion network and on the eastern Canada TV network.

OLSON COOLING OFF

Truman Gibson, secretary of the promoting International Boxing Club, talks of a crowd of 12,000 and a gate of $150,000. More conservative estimates put the crowd figure at 9,000 and the gate at about $130,000.

Olson gets 35 per cent, five per cent under the usual champion's cut, and Robinson gets 25 per cent of gate receipts and television money. If Robinson wins, there is a reported rematch clause for a return bout within 90 days.

Until the 27-year-old Olson ventured out of his class to box Archie Moore for the light-heavy crown last June 18, he was becoming a superman with the TV audiences.

When Moore stopped him in three rounds he became an ordinary mortal. In two starts since the Moore knockout, Olson has not been sensational. After a performance against Jimmy Martinez, he was hard pressed to win over Joey Giambra, Aug. 26, his last outing. Both were non-title matches. Bobo hasn't defended his championship since he stopped Pierre Langlois at San Francisco last Dec. 15.

AGE SLOWS SUGAR

It has been difficult to detect traces of the old Robinson speed and flash in his six comeback fights. Ralph (Tiger) Jones almost chased him back into retirement when he handed Sugar a bad beating while winning a decision in 10 rounds at Chicago, Jan. 19.

Robinson hadn't had a real fight in 31 months when he started his comeback by knocking out Joe Rindone at Detroit Jan. 9. He did box a six-round exhibition with Gene Burton in Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 29, 1954, a few weeks after he decided to return to the ring.

After the Jones defeat, Robinson outpointed Johnny Lombardo, stopped Ted Olla and won decisions over Garth Panter and Rocky Castellani. The victory over Castellani, July 22, convinced the ex-cham he should go for the title. He hasn't fought since.

Most boxing men think Robinson can't recapture that old spring in his legs, no matter how long he trains. They give him only one chance—the chance he might flatten Bobo with a desperation punch in the first five rounds. Robinson did beat Olson twice, by a 12th-round knockout, Oct. 26, 1950 and by a decision, March 13,1952 at San Francisco.

Statistics

Olson		Robinson
37	Age	35
168	Weight	160
5' 10½"	Height	5' 11"
38"	Reach	72½"
39"	Chest (normal)	36½"
42"	Chest (exp.)	38"
32"	Waist	28½"
22"	Thigh	19¾"
13½"	Calf	13¾"
14"	Biceps	13¾"
11"	Forearm	10¾"
16"	Neck	15"

Struggle at Montreal Features Free-for-All

Montreal Canadiens extended their unbeaten streak through seven games last night but not without a real struggle, in more ways than one, from the victory-starved Toronto Maple Leafs. Canadiens scored all their goals in a 3-1 win in the third period, which saw 17 penalties handed out, including four misconducts, a game misconduct and two majors.

Real trouble started when the Leafs disputed Maurice Richard's goal, which put Canadiens ahead, 2-1. The puck came right out after appearing to cross the line and before arguments had been settled, the Leafs had been assessed a misconduct penalty for delaying the game. Jerry James served the time.

Less than two minutes later, players dropped their gloves near centre ice and started throwing punches.

Tom Johnson of the Canadiens and Ron Stewart of the Leafs each got major penalties and game misconduct. Rudy Migay of the Leafs drew a misconduct and teammate George Armstrong drew a minor and misconduct later in the period.

AT LAST

Leafs had gone ahead in the first period when winger Sid Smith, who scored 33 goals last season, got his first goal of the season.

Floyd Curry squared it early in the third period while Leafs' Eric Nesterenko was serving a penalty. After Maurice Richard got his disputed goal, kid brother Henri made it certain at 13.52.

In the other game last night, the reshuffled Detroit Red Wings could do no better than a 2-2 tie with the Boston Bruins.

Wings twice took the lead but the Bruins refused to yield. For the first time in nine seasons, Detroit stars Gordie Howe and Ted Lindsay played on different forward lines but the experiment was no success in its first game. Both Howe and Lindsay went pointless.

It was the 11th tie in the last 21 games for the champion Wings, who now have third place all to themselves by a point over Chicago Black Hawks. It's their best position of the season.

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Montreal	27	16	4	7	76	41	39
New York	25	14	6	5	80	55	33
Detroit	26	8	6	11	59	57	27
Chicago	26	8	12	6	61	74	22
Boston	26	7	12	7	61	86	21
Toronto	28	6	18	4	48	77	20

Last night's scores: Boston 2, Detroit 2; Toronto 1, Montreal 3.
Next game tonight: Boston at Chicago.

BOSTON 2, DETROIT 2

FIRST PERIOD

1. Detroit, Ullman (Prystai), 17.49
2. Boston, Mohns (Mazur, Boivin), 19.50

Penalties: Hollingworth 2.37, Labine 7.35 and 12.56, Howe 9.44, Lindsay and Gardner (majors) 14.08.

SECOND PERIOD

3. Detroit, Delvecchio (Reibel, Kelly), 2.56

Penalties: Gardner 1.38, Lindsay 4.25, Armstrong 7.39, Howe 14.26.

THIRD PERIOD

4. Boston, Mackell (Labine) 10.50

Penalties: Godfrey and Costello 9.51, Prystai and Bonin 17.01.

Sawchuk	8	11	10	—29
Hall	9	10	5	—24

TORONTO 1, MONTREAL 3

FIRST PERIOD

1. Toronto, Smith (Stewart, Migay), 6.04

Penalties: St. Laurent 3.32, Hurst 8.34, Balfour 14.49, Horton 19.59.

SECOND PERIOD

Scoring: None

Penalties: Balfour 4.49, Harris 7.58, St. Laurent 12.49, Talbot 13.23.

THIRD PERIOD

2. Montreal, Curry (Beliveau), 4.23
3. Montreal, M. Richard (Moore), 8.31.
4. Montreal, H. Richard (Moore, Harvey), 13.52

Penalties: Nesterenko 3.02, [illegible] 13.37, Geoffrion 8.12, Kelly (misconduct) 8.12, Migay (misconduct) 10.04, Stewart (major) 10.04, Johnson (major) 10.04, Nelveau (minor, misconduct and game misconduct) 10.04, Armstrong (minor, misconduct) 15.37, Curry 18.35.

Shots.

Lumley	8	14	12	—31
Plante	8	9	9	—30

Regals To Stick

Penalty of $1,000 For Late Arrivals

EDMONTON (CP)—Jim Piggott, owner of the Regina Regals in the Western Hockey League, said Thursday night he has no intention of discontinuing operations or moving the franchise until he is convinced the people of Regina will not support the club.

His statement at the league's semi-annual meeting Thursday followed discussion by the league directors of the possibility of discontinuing or moving the Regina franchise because of scanty attendance.

Earlier Al Leader of Seattle, WHL president, announced the coast division won a loss for the right to name the site of the first games of the playoff finals this season.

Before adjourning to an evening sitting, the league also decided to levy a $1,000 mandatory fine in future against any club using air transportation and arriving late for a game. Leader noted that this had happened twice this season.

Director voted to retain the rule under which a penalized player returns to the ice immediately after the opposing team scores a goal while having a one-man advantage.

Mr. Leader said the league adopted this rule for the current season and the experiment has proved satisfactory.

The league also decided to retain its present icing the puck rule. This rule provides that when the puck is "iced," a player of the opposing team must touch the puck before the referee blows his whistle.

Also retained was the present system of choosing from the league as a whole one all-star team, one rookie of the season and one most valuable player. It had been suggested that each division, the coast and the prairie, select an all-star team, a rookie of the season, and a most valuable player.

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Fights Tonight

WILBUR YOUNG

Classy Seattle welterweight who is one of the outstanding performers on the televised KING's Ring. Wilbur Young will meet Victoria's clever Bert Wilkinson in the feature bout of the Victoria Amateur Boxing Association's first card of the season at the Victoria ballroom. A total of 12 bouts will be held with five American boxers meeting Island talent. First bout gets under way at 8 p.m.

FAN FARE

Walt Ditzen

Ashbee Gets Eight-Game Suspension

Don Ashbee, trigger-tempered forward of the Nanaimo Clippers, has been handed an eight-game suspension by the president of the British Columbia Hockey Association.

Ed Benson of Trail announced that Ashbee has been suspended for punching Referee Johnny Ruryk in a recent Vancouver Island Amateur Hockey League game. Since Ashbee was indefinitely suspended immediately after the incident, his suspension will run from that time, leaving him with five more league games to sit out.

Bill Sutherland, also of the Clippers, has served a one-game suspension for pushing referee Archie McLean in a recent game at Victoria.

Tiremen Trim Drakes; Retain Unbeaten Mark

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	Pts.
Dickinson & Dunn	4	0	12
Farmer Construction	4	1	8
Drakes	1	3	2
Nomads	0	3	0

Last night's score: Dickinson & Dunn 60, Drakes 48.

Dickinson & Dunn continued to run rampant through the senior "B" men's basketball league last night, chalking up its sixth straight victory, 60-48, at the expense of the Drakes.

The Tiremen now hold a four-point margin over second-place Farmer Construction and hold a 10-point edge over the luckless Drakes.

PULL AWAY

Drakes stayed within five or six points of the league-leaders until late in the last half when George Denison and coach Norm Baker of the Tiremen began hitting consistently to increase the lead. Each scored 17 points for the winners but had to yield high-point honors to Drakes' Gary Taylor, who netted 19 points.

In preliminary contests, Eaglettes and Sooke midget girls played to a 14-14 tie while Cordova Bay midget boys edged the YMCA midgets, 25-22.

Scorers follow:

Dickinson & Dunn—Clarkson 2, R. Bamford 4, Bradshaw, G. Bamford 4, Jackson 6, Davies 4, Denison 17, Arreman 2, Baker 17, Pearson 6. Total—60.

Drakes—Turks 2, Davidson 2, McKay, Graham 2, Hendry 13, Briggs 10, Wilson, Taylor 19. Total—48.

Cordova Bay—Cunningham 9, Trenar 8, H. Minter 6, Smelts, Floor, P. Minter, Hilliard 2. Motyer, Oldham. Total—25.

YMCA — Bishop, Sweet 4, Jackson, Johns 4, Davidson, D. Milnik, Balloch 6, Nivens, Barton 4, Chan 2, Jones. Total—22.

Sooke—Michelson, Nix 6, Clark, Pidcoinkn, Adenck 6, Bush 2, MacDonald, Kendrew, Smith, Regan, Sharp. Total—14.

Eaglettes—Reeves, Hansen 4, Mason, McKlean 3, Miller, Campbell, Hayman 3, Watson 6, Cathels, Robertson, Earle. Total—14.

Bremerton Swim Club To Send Large Entry

Archie McKinnon's YMCA swimming club will be facing a lot more swimmers than was expected in Saturday night's competition against Bremerton, Washington.

Bremerton coach Dan Garber, who originally stated that he would be bringing 34 splashers to the gala, phoned McKinnon with the news that the number has increased to 34 girls and 40 boys.

This sudden change of events produced a major billeting problem, but McKinnon said last night that it was now under control. The Bremerton team arrives by boat tonight.

Bremerton brings a powerful team that includes several Pacific Northwest champions on the roster. Garber's team recently won an easy victory over the Wenatchee Y swim club.

McKinnon and assistant coaches Joan McLagen, Bob Johnstone and Jack Todd have already lined up more than 50 swimmers for the gala and expect to have more ready before the 7 p.m. starting time Saturday at the Crystal Garden.

YMCA swimmers follow:

UNDER ELEVEN

Tricia Holland, Joan McElmoyle, Sylvia Smith, Pam Heycock, Janet McAllister, Janet Larsen, Ricky Todd, David Quinker, Jamie Angus, Norman Lind.

UNDER THIRTEEN

Janie Wheaton, Jennifer Botterell, Jean Watt, Kathleen Landells, Joyce Allen, Helen Painton, Pat Morrison, Blair Cameron, Art Clark, John Todd, Gordy Davies, Pete Kangro, N. Mullaly, Andy Kerr, Mike McNeely.

UNDER FIFTEEN

Alice Genge, Sally Holland, Donna Mummery, Linda Brown, Val Byers, Gail Parker, Patricia Bervice, Doug Dickie, Mike Muirhead, Art Roberts, Doug Patterson, Bruce Warburton, Chris Cousette, Bob Emiri, Allen Savage, Bryan Wallace.

UNDER SEVENTEEN

Sheri Sinit, Ruth McAllister, Adele Parker, Jill Dennis, Marg Duke, Joann Blagg, Roberta West, Don Heywood, Ron Brown, Monty Vanden, Brian Stothard, Bob Hamilton, Garry Cuthbert, Don Rosenburg.

Hockey Scores

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Boston 2, Detroit 2
Toronto 1, Montreal 3

ONTARIO JUNIOR
Kitchener 4, Hamilton 2

ATLANTIC COAST SENIOR
Amherst 3, Saint John 5.
Moncton 2, Freedericton 3

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Fort Wayne 3, Cincinnati 3
Indianapolis 2, Troy 4

THUNDER BAY JUNIOR
Port Arthur North Stars 7, Fort William Canadiens 5.

WESTERN JUNIOR
Edmonton 2, Regina 3

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL
Nelson 7, Kimberley 11.

OKANAGAN LEAGUE
Vernon 3, Kelowna 2

Three Matches Set Saturday In Rugby Loop

Three rugby games have been scheduled by the Victoria Rugby Union on Saturday, two of them league matches and the third an exhibition contest.

JBAA Blues, who battled to a 6-6 deadlock with Victoria College last Saturday, meet JBAA Whites at Carnarvon park at 2.30 in the only first division match scheduled.

In second division play Navy, fresh from a 28-6 triumph over Victoria College last weekend, meet Oak Bay Wanderers at Windsor park at 2 p.m. Wanderers' first division side will play HMCS Venture Vagabonds in an exhibition match at Windsor park at 3 p.m.

Stotz Losing Battle To Form New League

LEWISBURG, Pa. (UP) — Attempts to settle the Little League baseball dispute through arbitration bogged down Thursday and a federal judge continued a restraining order against ousted commissioner Carl E. Stotz, who seeks to organize a new league.

The hearing, already in progress two days, will resume today before U.S. District Judge Frederick V. Follmer. An injunction petition filed by Little League Baseball, Inc., sought to prevent Stotz from forming a new league among 250,000 boys 12 years and under.

When Follmer continued the restraining order he read eight restrictions into the record. They ordered Stotz not to perform any act or issue statements on behalf of Little League and warned him against soliciting applications or granting franchises to local leagues as Little League, or Little League baseball.

Unless the restraining order is lifted possibly at today's hearing, Stotz' plans for a meeting in Pittsburgh Dec. 10-11 of Little League workers appear doomed.

Behind the Glass

By Jim Tang

Tony Gutoski Proves He Can Stand with Canada's Leading Skips

Now that the excitement has subsided over the unexpected showing of a Victoria rink in the huge Totem Bonspiel in Vancouver, the thing which stands out is that in Tony Gutoski the Victoria Curling Club has a curler who rates with the best in Canada.

In skipping the rink entered by Gerry Lauder, president of the B.C. Curling Association, to victory in the No. 1 primary, the Totem event, Tony not only displayed the shotmaking prowess which all in his own club knew he could do but he also proved beyond doubt that he can skip with the best.

As a close observer, the writer watched Tony operate in 13 games against some of the better curlers and he was never outskipped. Not even Garnet Campbell could have done any better, more likely not as well, with the pick-up rink curling in front of the Victoria skip.

It took a long time before Tony was given the credit due him, which was understandable in view of the fact that there were so many "name" curlers at hand and early bonspiel victories often don't mean too much. Towards the finish, however, more and more people were asking for the "name of that fellow skipping that Victoria rink."

Bonspiel victory is, of course, a team effort but make no mistake, Tony, with a big assist from Gerry, who played a steady and often excellent third, stood out for his shotmaking and his skipping. He can stand pressure, can get his rink playing for him, and can't be conned by veteran skips. A little less modesty and the right trio in front of him would be a combination which could give Victoria its first Brier representative.

ANOTHER SUCCESS DUE: Success story of last season at the Victoria Curling Club was the Commercial Bonspiel, which drew a record entry of 76 rinks and which produced some fine curling and extremely keen competition.

Just an experiment last year, the Commercial Bonspiel was an unexpected success and it appears as if there is a chance that it will be just as big and just as good this year, perhaps even bigger and better.

The second annual event will be held this year Dec. 26-30 with all-day curling during the first two days and at nights only during the final three days. With 178 eligible rinks to draw from in Commercial and Service Leagues, the entry may be close to 100 rinks.

Entry fee this year will be $16 per rink with each rink guaranteed three games and prizes for semi-finalists in all three events. Rinks must be formed from players in one league and players must play in their present or a higher position. Skips must skip, thirds must play third shots or skip, seconds can play anywhere but lead and leads can be used in any position.

Fred Maddep is in charge of the draw and also on the entertainment committee with Hugh Renfrew. Morley Macdonald and Ernie Gordon have been named to the prize committee, and Macdonald, Gordon, Madden, Young and Ross Brown have been appointed to the rules committee.

Entries must be made not later than Dec. 18 at the club office.

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TIME FOR CONSOLS: The time is near for local British Consols playdowns. In fact, play has already started at the Nanaimo Curling Club to decide which two rinks will represent the Hub City in the Island zone finals at the Alberni Valley Curling Club on Jan. 14 and 15.

Victoria, Duncan, Nanaimo and Alberni Valley Curling Clubs will each declare two rinks to compete in a round-robin series at Alberni for the right to represent Zone 1 in the provincial Consols finals, which will be held during the B.C. Bonspiel at Victoria, Feb. 6-11.

Eight rinks have been entered at Alberni — Ed Price, Bill Osborne, Warren Paul, Harry Stirzaker, Bob Reid, Frank Hunt and Harry Spottiswood of Alberni and Jack Coates of Parksville.

At Nanaimo, six rinks are currently engaged in a round-robin series. They include Bill Karjala, who won one of the two Island berths in the B.C. final last spring, George Lunn, S. Chisholm, Bob Fuller, Dave Dunn and R. Jenkerrson.

At the moment, it appears as if no local playoff will be needed at Duncan, where last reports had Glen Harper's rink as the only Consols entry. It is believed that Ron Harper will also enter a rink and it may be that the Harpers will represent Duncan without having to play off.

In Victoria, entries don't close until Saturday but indications are for an entry of about 12 rinks. Club rinks have been entered by Laurie Perlette, Bill Dunstan, Eric Bulloch, Jack Moir and there are two entries from the RCN Curling Club. However, several other club rinks are still in the process of being made up and there should be no less than 10 rinks, perhaps more. It's likely that a double-knockout competition will be played to decide the two winners.

Entry fee is $10 a rink. Ice charges have yet to be set at the Victoria club.

First U.S. Opponent

Totems' Task Tough—Meet Auburn Tonight

Victoria High School Totems face their first American opponents of the season tonight when they host the Auburn High Rockets in an exhibition basketball game at the Victoria High gym.

Totems, who have lost only one game this season, will be facing a club that is rated one of the top high school teams in Washington state. The Rockets are undefeated this year and recently won a high school district tournament with a 22-14 win over Bellevue High.

Rockets starting line-up averages slightly over six feet per player, with centre Don Cook and captain Bob Johnston the key men in the attack. Cook, at six feet, two inches, has been averaging 22 points a game for the Auburn squad while Johnston was chosen as All-State guard in last year's state high school tournament. The Rockets finished second in the battle for state honors.

Other members of the starting Auburn line-up are Bill Boyer, six feet; Sam Marlin, six feet, and Roger Duprell, five feet, 11 inches.

Tonight's game is the last on the Totems' pre-Christmas schedule. Porky Andrews' charges open the second half of their schedule on Jan. 6 with a clash with the Victoria Old-Timers.

Game time tonight is 8.30 with a preliminary game between Vic High girls and Normal School set for 7.30.

Sports Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY

NEW YORK (UP) — Sugar Ray Robinson will be fighting the past as well as the present when he climbs into the ring tonight.

His opponent will be Bobo Olson, the man from whom he hopes to regain the middleweight championship of the world. But Sugar Ray also must beat the ancient boxing adage that "they never come back."

Nobody ever has.

None outside the heavyweight division ever has come back even far enough from retirement to merit a shot at the title. In this one instance, the Harlem dynamiter has shattered precedent in the lesser divisions.

THEY ALL TRIED

But even among the heavyweights—from John L. Sullivan through the likes of Gentleman Jim Corbett, Bob Fitzsimmons, Jim Jeffries and Joe Louis—were they able to recapture the title they had lost or given up voluntarily.

Those five had their shot. Others, like Jack Dempsey, Primo Canera and Max Schmeling, among the heavyweights, never got back that far.

Nor, in the lighter divisions, did such as light heavyweight champion Paul Berlenbach; middleweight kings Billy Papke, Mickey Walker, Vince Dundee, Ceferino Garcia or Jake La Motta; welterweight champions Pete Latzo, Fritzie Zivic or Marty Servo; lightweight rulers Bat Nelson, Ad Wolgast, Willie Ritchie, Benny Leonard, Al Singer, Tony Canzoneri, Lew Ambers, Bob Montgomery or Beau Jack; featherweight bosses Benny Bass or Bat Battalino, or bantamweight Panama Al Brown.

They all tried, for one reason or another. For a very few it was boredom and the personal thought that they still were as good as ever. For most of them it was the need for money. This, it is said, is Robinson's excuse and need.

But the records of the past are against him.

Look merely at the ones who made it back to the title shot. The Great John L. had been out two years when he came back and was kayoed by Corbett. Gentleman Jim tried it three times and was flattened by Fitzsimmons after a 16-month layoff; by Jeffries after a two-year retirement, and again by Jeffries after a three-year layoff.

Fitzsimmons tried after a five-year retirement, and called it quits after a no decision bout with an unknown. Jeffries waited six years and was flattened by Jack Johnson. Louis lost to Ezzard Charles after 19 months of inactivity and wound up as cannon fodder for Rocky Marciano.

Robinson was out almost two and one-half years.

The odds are 4 to 1 against him. If you take it from the record book, it's too short a price.

RUSSIANS BEATEN

STOCKHOLM (Reuters) — The Swedish national hockey team beat Russia 3-2 in an international match here Thursday night.

Shoot Carded

South Vancouver Island Rangers will hold their annual Christmas prize shoot Sunday on the club grounds starting at 10 a.m.

The shoot is limited to full-bore entries with no .22 calibre competition scheduled. Spectators are welcome.

O.C. Rugby

LONDON (Reuters)— Thursday's Rugby Union county championship results:

Herts 6, Dorset and Wilts 15.

Notts, Lincs and Derby 0, East Midlands 3.

Most Valuable

ROY CAMPANELLA

Stocky Brooklyn catcher who made a tremendous comeback to lead the Dodgers to another pennant and their first world series victory last season, Roy Campanella Thursday was named the National League's most valuable player for the third time of his outstanding baseball career. Winner of the coveted award in 1951 and again in 1953, Campanella edged teammate Duke Snider—226 to 221—to become the second player in league history to win the title three times. Ernie Banks of Chicago was a close third while New York Giant outfielder Willie Mays was fourth.

Today's Sports

BOXING

8 p.m.—Opening bout of 12-bout Victoria Amateur Boxing Club card, Victoria Ballroom.

BASKETBALL

7.30 p.m.—Exhibition game, Victoria High girls vs. Normal School girls, Victoria High gym.

8.30 p.m.—Exhibition game, Victoria High Totems vs. Auburn High Rockets, Victoria High gym.

WINS IRISH CUP

BELFAST (Reuters) — Linfield won the final of the Irish Gold Cup soccer competition Wednesday night, beating Portadown 3-0.

Berra Yearns for Rest but No Relief in Sight

By STEVE SNIDER

NEW YORK (UP) — The Yankees made a great catcher out of ex-outfielder Yogi Berra and now Yogi wishes they'd do the same for some other Yankee player.

Every winter the Yankees promise to dig up another top catcher to help Berra carry the load but every summer he goes it almost entirely alone whether he feels up to par or not.

YEARNS FOR REST

"I'd like to get some rest, at least on doubleheader days," grumbled Yogi, otherwise a normally happy guy.

But a man can't win the American League's most valuable player award without being exactly what it says on the trophy — the most valuable player. If he wins it twice, it's a tremendous tribute to his talent and a man who wins it three times obviously is headed for baseball's hall of fame.

At least that has held true so far since the only three-time American League winners up to this year were Joe DiMaggio and Jimmy Foxx, both now enshrined at the Cooperstown, N.Y., hall of fame. Yogi made it a trio this year when he won his third MVP award.

Even if the trophy had gone to some other valuable player like Al Smith of the Indians, Al Kaline of the Tigers or Ted Williams of the Red Sox, the Yankees wouldn't have felt any different about Berra.

"We always promise him some help and honestly try," said general manager George Weiss. "But when it gets hot, both in temperature and in the pennant race, Casey Stengel has to keep going with his best as long as Yogi can get up to the plate with his harness on."

Elston Howard, the first Yankee Negro, is a fill-in catcher but probably is needed more in the outfield. There are other and younger catchers on the way up but they're a long way off.

Now 30, Berra has been the club's regular catcher for eight years. He came up from Newark as a part-time outfielder-catcher late in 1946 with this questionable tag on his record—"A bad ball hitter."

"You'll notice," said scout Paul Krichel, "it said he was a bad ball hitter, not a misser. We find a lot of prospects that swing at bad balls and miss. Berra could hit anything he could reach and still does."

Bucky Harris, who became Yankee manager in 1947, couldn't figure out quite what to do with Berra during the next two seasons and kept him on a shuttle from catching to the outfield—anything to keep his bat in the lineup.

When Casey Stengel came in for 1949, he brought along Bill Dickey as a coach. Dickey, one time Yankee catching great, was astounded at how much Yogi didn't know about catching, but after a couple of months of tutelage conceded privately, "At least he's not the worst in the league."

There were times when Yogi outraged the artist in Dickey, but there was no denying he was a willing pupil and he not only could hit bad balls but good ones, too. The patience of master and pupil paid off. For the last five or six years nobody has worried about Yogi—except when he was under the weather.

OAK BAY BLANKED

University School's second XV whipped Oak Bay High school's second team, 12-0, in an exhibition rugby match at the University [illegible]

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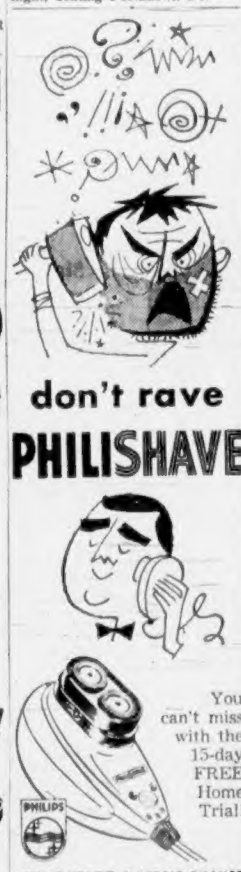

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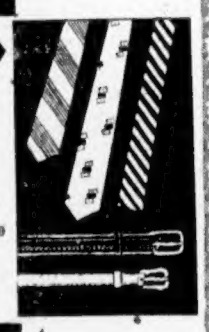

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Stock Quotations-Market Reports

Toronto Mines

Sales		High	Low	Close
1123	Acadia Uran	—	—	14½
	Akaitcho Yk	—	—	570
200	Akmon Uran	—	—	17½
	Am Neph	—	—	15½
033	Adanac Lead	318	305	316
	Anglo-Rouyn	—	—	13½b
7500	Anglo-Rouyn	154	145	150
3100	Ascot Metals	44	42	42
400	Aumaque	14	13½	14
	Aunor	—	—	235b
7500	Bagamac	16½	16½	16½
4500	Barnat	101	100	100
200	Barvue	—	—	140
300	Barymin	248	246	246
23950	Base Metals	85	79	83
31400	Bidak Uran	30	28	30
	Bonetal	—	—	5½b
7500	Beaver Lodge	62	58	62
11200	Belcher	102	92	97
	Betera River	—	—	900
3044	Bevcon	99	81	82
2000	Bibis Yukon	—	—	10½
12031	Bicroft	275	260	275
13600	Bobjo	47	44	45
6000	Bonville	11	10½	11
3148	Bosman	15½	10	10½
750	Bralorne	—	—	580
1100	Black Bay	125	120	120
750	Broulan Reef	—	—	560
71454	Brunston	48	37	41½
200	Bruns M & S	—	—	12½
2500	Buffalo Con	14½	14	14½
2500	Bunker Hill	13	12½	13
400	Bulolo	510	505	505
7471	Camp Chib	16½	15½	16½
	Camp Rl.	—	—	670b
	Can Malartic	—	—	480
6000	Can. Mat.	258	252	255
345	Cassiar Ash	805	800	805
	Castle Trethi	—	—	375b
	Central Exp	—	—	600b
2700	Central Pat	67	66½	66½
2300	Chem RPs	440	435	435
6500	Chesterville	43	42	43
2500	Chibougamau Exp	109	109	109
15000	Chimo	160	147	147
	Coch Wns	—	—	700
	Coniagas	—	—	300b
5100	Conro	36	33	35
34000	Con Algoria	38	34½	34½
2735	Con Denton	905	895	905
3150	Con Disc Yk	255	245	250
883	Con Fenimore	167	165	165
25150	Con-Halliwell	44	40	40
100	Con Hunter	—	—	45
8650	Con Morrison	45	44	44
2500	Con Mosher	—	—	74
3000	Con Nicholson	34	33	34
81350	Con North	155	139	155
12000	Con Orlac	15	14	14½
26100	Chib Kayrand	84	80	80
4475	Con Sudbury	470	465	470
1829	Con Smelters	38½	37½	37½
2600	Conwest Exp	645	630	640
6000	Coulee Lead	115	111	115
	Con Guayana	—	—	34b
3600	Cosco	—	—	13
1400	Delnite	—	—	93
375	Dome	14½	14½	14½
500	Dom Magnes	20	19½	19½
11000	Donalda	42	39	42
30600	Dyno	108	103	103
	East Amphi	—	—	7½b
800	East Malartic	231	228	228
1300	East Smelting	495	485	485
1100	East Sullivan	600	595	595
4800	East Metals	87	83	85
1003	Elder	—	—	58
87500	Eureka Corp	161	147	154
850	Falconbridge	30½	29½	30½
4850	Fershiber	425	420	425
4200	Faraday	205	195	200
	Coco	—	—	16½b
500	Geneva Lake	—	—	13
1200	Giant Yk	395	375	395
1000	God a Lake	39	37	37
2000	Goldale	35	34½	34½
10700	Goldcrest	28	26	26½
1200	Gdn Manitou	360	350	350
1500	Goldfields Dr	—	—	44
3000	Graham Rous	28	27	27
400	Grandines	26½	26	26
11100	Grandor	—	—	700
3150	Granner Gold	19½	19	19½
	Hallnor	—	—	225b
700	Hard Rock	—	—	12
1000	Hasaga	112	108	109
6400	Headway	—	—	3½
500	Heath	—	—	30
233	Hollinger	805	790	795
3500	Hoyle	66	65½	66
175	Hudson Bay	66	—	28
4500	Hugh-Pam	—	—	—
2600	Inspiration	149	143	145

Sales		High	Low	Close
11827	Joliet-Que	135	131	133
8800	Jonsmith	30	26½	30
365	Kerr Addison	19	17½	18
18000	Keyboycon	11	10	10
	Keymet	—	—	76b
594	Kirk-Hudson	—	—	22
600	Kirk Lake	—	—	40
2600	Lake Cinch	350	345	350
600	Labrador	15½	11	15½
2600	Lake Dufault	243	235	235
7162	Lake Lingman	13	12	13
19800	Lind Hurst	235	218	222
277	Lake Shore	—	—	440
1500	Lake Wasa	—	—	7½b
100	Lamaque	—	—	235
1000	Lexindin	—	—	26
13750	Lorado	130	125	125
3000	Lorrain-Red	35	34	34
400	Macassa	202	200	200
1100	MacDonald	—	—	18
11100	Mackie Exp	26	23	23
4400	Macassa	41	40	40
600	MacLeod-Cx	138	136	137
2000	Madsen RL	241	240	240
8115	Malartic	205	200	200
23675	Marlaco	—	—	15
600	Maritime	—	—	195
850	McIntyre Porc	83½	82	82½
2000	McMar RL	—	—	16½
4000	McWatters	39	38	38
26335	Merrill Is	253	241	253
10000	Meta	27	23	25
8600	Minaimar	35	31	31
900	Mining Corp	21½	21	21½
4640	Mogul	305	295	305
7000	Mult Min	150	140	150
10800	National Exp	68	67	67½
8500	Nesbitt Lab	175	168	168
2500	New Bidlam	25	23½	25
4500	New Calumet	105	101	102
2800	New Dickens	197	194	195
5100	New Harfic	28½	27	28
2500	New Mylk	20	19	19
11000	New Thurbois	23	22½	23
500	Nib Yk	—	—	6½b
300	Nipissing	245	240	240
135	Noranda	53	52½	52½
1500	Norgold	22	22½	22½
3600	Normetal	680	670	680
4500	Nudulama	57	55	57
820	O'Brien	—	—	64
4350	O'Leary Mal	36	35½	36
2165	Opemiska	920	905	910
15100	Osisko Lake	58	57	57
1500	Pamour Porc	58	57	57
8200	Parbec Mines	15	13	15
300	Pato	—	—	590
1050	Pardee	—	—	79
1000	Paymaster	—	—	32½
200	Pend Oreille	—	—	43½
500	Perron	—	—	26
1000	Pickle Crow	—	—	135
1100	Pioneer Gold	191	185	185
255	Placer Dev	37	36	36½
100	Preston ED	—	—	600
1365	Prosiip	870	850	870
4500	Prospect Air	21	20	21
13028	Que Chib	170	162	167
23515	Que Copper	310	278	290
1000	Que Labrador	—	—	9½b
6050	Que Metal	415	400	410
9400	Que Nickel	235	230	230
350	Quemont	—	—	26
13200	Ravrock	184	175	180
5150	Radiore	150	142	145
5500	Rix-Athis	92	90	92
11600	Roche Lt.	15	14	15
4700	San Antonio	133	130	130
1000	Sand River	—	—	11½b
5204	Sherritt Gdn	778	765	765
6000	Silver-Miller	99	95	97
1800	Siscoe	55	54	55
8530	Steep Rock	15	14½	15
17500	Stuart-Oil	65	64	65
3500	Sudbury Cont	—	—	15
1610	Sullivan Con	395	375	385
1765	Sylvanite	132	128	132
3019	Teck-Hughes	258	250	255
2500	Tombill	35	34	34
1200	Trans Res	—	—	24½
1050	Unlim Mining	—	—	6½b
1735	Utd Asbestos	895	875	890
950	Utd Keno	660	650	650
12200	Utd Estella	41	40	40
743	Vanguard	41½	41½	41½
3075	Violamac	300	295	300
340	Waite Amu	15½	15	15½
1500	Willroy	255	250	255
500	Wright-Harg	103	100	102
1700	Yale Lead	45	42	42
10700	Yk Bear	218	215	218
2200	Yukeno	11	10	10
1000	Yukon Con	—	—	59
10000	Zenmac	31	30	30

Toronto Oils

Sales		High	Low	Close
400	Alax	—	—	75
8500	Albermont	73	71	71
1200	AP Cons	—	—	30
38070	American Leduc	98	84	90
600	Anglo American	14½	14½	14½
400	Bailey Selburn	930	920	920
16500	Bata Pete	14½	14	14½
200	Braisaman	—	—	105
1930	Britalta	33	235	235
1130	Calgary & Edm	18½	18½	16½
4350	Can Admiral	55	51	52
2785	Can Collieries	14	13½	13½
1900	Can Atlantic	625	600	600
500	Can Decalta	—	—	20
3650	Can Devonian	270	262	270
6025	Can Homestead	245	240	235
720	Can Oil	—	—	20
8900	Can Pipeline	305	290	300
100	Can Williston	—	—	260
2500	Central Leduc	220	216	215
500	Chamberlain	—	—	35
700	Charter Oils	175	174	175
800	Cons Allapine	—	—	19½
500	Cons Cardasun	—	—	30
1300	Cons Micmac	283	280	283
4900	Cons Peak	12	11	11½
6300	Del Rio	145	141	145
1700	Devon Leduc	160	147	150
1300	Duvex	—	—	18½b
500	Federated Pete	430	430	430
700	General Pete	—	—	500
1300	General Pete A	500	485	500
400	Great Plains	26	25½	26
8000	Great A Grass	385	380	385
2870	Gridoil	965	940	950
200	Hi Tower	7	6½	6½
358	Home Oil	865	860	860
810	Husky	875	860	875
7100	Hycharger	—	—	7½
918	Inter-Prov Pipe	29	28½	28½
1090	Kroy	105	103	105
6230	Liberal	290	275	280
500	Long Island	—	—	16
2565	Marigold	39½	37	39½
2550	Merrill Pete	13½	12½	12½
24300	Mid Continent	78	75	76
29715	New Bristol	149	143	148
350	New Brit Dom	—	—	209
500	New Superior	228	226	228
700	Norpax	—	—	48
310	North Star	—	—	15
7000	Okalta	197	195	195
2770	Pacific Pete	12½	12½	12½
400	Peace River	925	850	850
7400	Peruvian Oil	290	270	290
51800	Petrol O & G	204	194	198
-3500	Ponder	85	82	85
3100	Rosana	13	11	11
86866	Sapphire	370	340	360
400	Scurry	190	184	190
1500	Security Pete	270	260	265
600	Spooner	—	—	18½
4000	Stanwell	—	—	55
500	Texas Calgary	—	—	93
300	Texas Empire	—	—	158
1800	Trans Era	—	—	33
363	Trans Mountain	28½	28½	28½
4316	Triad	585	560	580
47900	United	156	144	148
4500	Vulcan	59	55	56
3700	Wilrich	63	61	61
700	Yankee Canuck	20	18	18

Montreal-Toronto Industrials

Abitibi Con	25¼	25½	
Do pfd	25½	25½	
Acadia Atl	10¾	11½	
Do A	22¾	23	
Do pfd	105¼	—	
Algom Ni	93¼	90½	
Aluminum	110¼	110½	
Do 4½ pf	51½	51½	
Ang-Can Pu	48	48	
Do pfd	51	54½	
Argus Cor	23½	23½	
Do	36½	37½	
Asbestos C	40½	42	
Ash Hdr B	11	13½	
Atlas Steel	18½	18½	
Bathurst A	60½	61½	
Beatty Br	7½	7½	
Bell Tele	48½	50	
Braz Trac	6½	6½	
BA Oil	34¼	34½	
BCE 4 pf	95½	96	
Do 4½ pf 50		50½	
Do 4½pf 103		104	
Do 5 pf	92½	93	
BC For P	15½	15½	
BC Pack A	16½	16½	
Do B	13	13½	
BC Power	34½	34½	
BC Tele	49	49½	
Brown Co	16½	17	
Brick Mil A	13½	14	
Do B	5½	5½	
Build Prod	40	40½	
Burl Steel	29¾	30	
Burns Co	11½	11½	
Burrard Dry	8½	9	
C & D Sugar	21	21½	
Can Cement	36	36½	
Do pfd	29¾	30	
Can Ip P	33¼	33½	
Can Malt	81½	84	
Can Pack A	37½	38	
Do B	33½	34½	
Can Penm	90	95	
Can Steam	32½	34½	
Do pf	11	13½	
Can Brew	29¾	29½	
Can Cans	34½	34½	
Can Celan	30½	31½	
Do 81 pf	32	32½	
Do $1.75 pf	36	36½	
Can C & C	9½	9½	
Can Dist & D	21	22	
Can Gen In	32½	32½	
Can Indus	31½	32½	
Can Loco	32	33	
Can Oil	19½	19½	
Can Pet pfd	24½	25	
CPR	34	34½	
Can Vickers	32½	34	
Can Wst Lm	14½	15	
Can West	49	50	
Chates Steel	4	4½	
Chatco-Sil Pf	4	6½	
Chrysler	91½	94	
Cockshutt Fm	7½	7½	
Cons M&S	37½	37½	
Con Paper	35½	35½	
Con Gas	23	21½	
Corbys	17	17½	
Corbys B	16½	16½	
Cosmos Imp	17½	18	
Crown Zell	56	56½	
Dist-Seagrm	40	40½	
Dom Bridge	27½	27½	
Dom Eng	22½	23	
Dom Jrd Pf	103	103½	
Dom Glass	39	39½	
Dom Mag	19½	20	
Dom Stl Cl	14	14½	
Dom Stores	34	34½	
Dom Tar C	12½	12½	
Dom Tar C Pf	23	24½	
Dom Textile	8½	8½	
Don Brew	31	31½	
Dupont	25½	25½	
Eddy Paper	56	56½	
Electrolux	15	15½	
Esta Pf	22½	22½	
Famous Play	20	20½	
Fanny Far	25½	25½	
Fed Grain	16	16	
Fleet Mfg	150	155	
Ford A	27½	27	
Foundation	25½	27	
Fraser Co	37½	31	
Gatineau Pw	30½	31	
Do 5% Pf	110½	112	
Gen Dyn	64½	65	
G M	46	46½	
Gen Bil Wrs	9	10½	
Do Pf	100	101	
Goodyear T	145	—	
Do Pf	51½	52	
Gr Lks Pap	43½	44	
Gr W Coal A	9	10	
Do B	9	9½	
Gunpow LA	60½	62	
Hamil Cot	14	17	
Hindes Das	60	60½	
Hayes Sr	25	26	
Howard Sm	40	41	
Imp Oil	38½	38½	
Imp Tob	11½	11½	
Do 4 pf	7½	7½	
Ind Accept	33	33½	
Int Bronze	7½	—	
Do pf	26½	31	
Int Metal A	38	38	
Int Nick	81½	82	
Int Paper	112½	113½	
Int Pet	28½	28½	
Int Util	39½	40	
Kelvinator	14½	15½	
Labatts	24½	25	
Lake	14½	18	
Laura Sec	19½	20	
Loblaw A	46	48½	
Do B	46½	102	
London Hos A	7½	7½	
Mc & Bl R pf	42½	—	
Mol L Mill	10	10½	
Massey H	9½	9½	
Do pfd	104	104½	
Maxwell	6½	6½	
McColl Fr	41½	43	
Do pfd	98½	100	
Merc Mills	30	49	
Molson Brick	415	425	
Mont Cotton	16½	17	
M & O Paper	70½	70½	
Moison A	27½	28	
Do B	26	27	
Mon Kat	425	425	
Mont. Loan	18	18½	
Moore Corp	41	42½	
Nat Dru	12	12½	
Do pfd	14	14½	
Nat Tunc	20	24	
Nat Hosp A	5	—	
Do B	480	500	
Nat Stl Car	29½	30½	
Nisk Wr Wy	45	—	
Ogilvie Flr	48	48½	
Ont Stl	27	28	
Orpr Grsh	430	450	
Page Her	81½	82	
Penmans	57½	58½	
Powell Rv	55½	56	
Power Corp	53½	55½	
Press Mtls	19	19½	
Prince Rrs	54½	55½	
Reed Pulp A	10½	10½	
Do B	300	380	
Russell Ind	13½	13½	
St Lawr Corp	87	89½	
Shawinig	67½	67½	
Sicks Br	27½	27½	
Do VT	—	27½	
Slyvad Drs A	13½	13½	
Simmons	17½	18	
Southam	47½	—	
Stand Pave	35	35½	
Stedman	24	24½	
Stl of Can	58½	58½	
Supreme Chm	32½	46	
Tamblyn	42	43	
Taylor Pmn	8½	8½	
Do pfd	10½	11	
Thrift Strs	39	39½	
Tridex Fin A	47½	47½	
Do B	46	43	
Union Gas	48	48½	
Unitd Corp A	29	31	
Do B	21½	21½	
United Fuel A	60½	—	
Do B	31½	32	
United Stl	15½	16½	
Hir Walk	68	68½	
Westeel	20½	—	
W Can Brew	27½	31½	
West Grocs	126	—	
Do A	42	43½	
Gen Weston	35½	36	
Do pfd	36	34½	
Wpg Gas	13½	13½	
York Knit A	250	245	
Zellers	24½	26	

BANKS

Montreal	46½	47	
Nova Scotia	58	59	
Commerce	43½	44½	
Imperial	51½	51½	
Tor-Dom	45½	45½	
Royal	58	58½	

New York Market

	Close
Allied Chemicals	114½
Aluminum	60½
American Can	47½
American Smelter	49½
American Tobacco	81½
American T & T	179½
American O & E	32½
Anaconda Copper	76½
Atchison Topeka	15½
Atlantic C Line	47
B & O Railway	47½
Bendix Aviation	58½
Bethlehem Steel	108½
Boeing Aircraft	73
Burroughs	31½
CPR	34½
C & O Railway	54½
Chrysler	92½
Columbia Gas	16
Con Edison	42½
Cons Products	27½
Detroit Edison	37½
Douglas Aircraft	80
Du Pont	210½
Delaware & Hudson	34
Eastman Kodak	73½
Erie Railroad	21½
Gen Electric	54½
Gen Foods	50½
Gen Motors	48
Goodyr Copper	18½
Goodyear Tire	64½
Great Northern	42½
Gulf Oil	40½
Homestake Mining	36½
Howe Sound	26½
Houston L & P	44
Inter. Harvester	36½
Inter Bus Mach	404
Inter T & T	39
Inter Nickel	42
Johns Manville	49
Kennecott Copper	117
Lockheed	31½
Lowe's Theatre	10½
Montgomery Ward	55½
National Distillers	26½
Rock Island xd	67½
New York Central	48
Norfolk Western	570
Northern Pacific	79
Ohio Oil	35
Paramount Pictures	37
Penn Railway	29½
Pepsi Cola	32½
Procter Gamble	106
Radio Corp	45
Royal Dutch	45½
Republic Steel	50½
Safeway Stores	83½
Schenley Distillers	21½
Sears Roebuck	110½
Shell	62½
Sinclair Oil	37½
Socony	41
Southern Pacific	37½
Southern Railway	109½
St Regis Paper	43½
Standard Calif	82½
Standard Oil NJ	148½
Studebaker	8½
Texas Corporation	118½
20th Century Fox	35½
Union Carbide	111
Union Pacific	137
United Aircraft	69
United Gas crp	23
United Corporation	6½
US Rubber	50½
US Steel	38½
Warner Bros	20
Westinghouse El	53½
Woolworth	48½
Zenith Radio	128
Anm Cyanamid	84½
Cities Services	58
Curtiss Wright	28½
Dow Chemical	36½
Sperry	25½
Wilson Co	18½

Closing Averages

DOW JONES:

30 industrials	487.80, up 1.45
20 rails	165.00, up 0.06
15 utilities	65.90, up 0.06
65 stocks	173.95, up 0.33

Shares: 2,970,000.

MONTREAL:

Industrials	292.10, off 1.20
Utilities	129.70, off 0.90
Golds	74.70, off 0.01
Pulp, Papers	[illegible]

Shares: 1,125,700.

TORONTO:

Industrials	434.50, up 1.02
Golds	84.96, off 0.34
Base Metals	216.17, up 0.93
Western Oils	114.53, up 0.58

Shares: 3,536,000.

VANCOUVER:

Golds	34.89, off 0.35
Base Metals	148.83, up 0.49
Oils	319.76, off 0.27

Sales 164,741.

Today's Dollar

MONTREAL—	Close	
U.S. dollar	99 29/32	—1/32
Pound sterling	2 79 13/16	Unch.
NEW YORK—	**Close**	
Canadian dollar	1.00 3/32	+1/32
Pound sterling	2.80 7/32	+3/32

Grain Prices

WINNIPEG (CP) — Grain prices generally showed some hesitation on the Winnipeg grain exchange, reflecting an easier tone on United States markets.

Most activity was in barley where shippers, exporters and domestic interests were buyers. Indications were that a small overseas business had developed in barley.

Closing prices:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
December	75¼	75¼	75¼	75¼
May	73½	72½	71½	72
July	—	—	—	68½
Rye—				
December	101	101½	99½	99½
May	105½	105½	103½	103½
July	104½	104½	103½	103½
Barley—				
December	101	101	100½	100½
May	88½	88½	87½	88½
July	—	—	—	85½
Flaxseed—				
December	329	330	324½	324½
May	332	332½	327½	329½
July	326½	325½	321	322½

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No 2 cw 78½.
Barley—No 3 cw 2 row 100½.
Rye—No. 2 cw 99½, track 99½.
Flax—No 2 cw 322, track 326½.
Prices for Class Two wheat for export to countries outside IWA: 1 nor, 1.72½, 2, 1.68½, 3, 1.63½, 4, 1.58½, 5, 1.39; 6, 1.16; 1 durum, 2.58½, 2, 2.55½; 3, 2.49½. IWA and domestic prices: 1 nor 1.72½, 2, 1.68½, 3, 1.63½; 4, 1.58½; 5, 1.39; 6, 1.16; 1 durum, 2.04½, 2, 2.02½, 3, 2.01½.

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybeans scored modest gains while wheat faltered in an attempt to extend its advance into the fourth day on the board of trade.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
December	210¼	210¼	208¾	209
March	204¾	208¼	207¼	208¼
May	204¼	205¼	203¾	204¾
Corn—				
December	126¾	127¼	126¾	127¼
March	131½	132½	131½	132½
May	134¼	135¼	134¾	135¾
Oats—				
December	63½	63½	62½	62½
March	65¾	65¾	65¼	65¾
May	65	65½	64¾	65½
Rye—				
December	114	114	112½	113
March	116½	117	115¾	116½
May	117½	117¾	116½	116½
Soybeans (New)				
January	236¾	238½	236½	238
March	239½	241½	239¼	240¾
May	239¾	241½	239¼	241

Dividends Declared

Consolidated Mining and Smelting, 40 cents plus 55 cents extra, payable Jan. 16; record Dec. 19; xd Dec. 17.

Imperial Bank, 35 cents, payable Feb. 1; record Dec. 31; xd Dec. 28 (previously paid 30 cents quarterly).

Chateau Gai Wines, 50 cents, payable Jan. 10; record Dec. 27; xd Dec. 23.

Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, 60 cents, payable March 1; record Feb. 1; xd Jan. 30; also 80 cents, payable June 1.

Canada Southern Railway, $1.50, payable Feb. 1; record Jan. 16; xd Jan. 12.

Mica Co. of Canada, 5 cents, payable Dec. 27; record Dec. 16; xd Dec. 14 (previously paid 4 cents).

Commonwealth International Corp., 13 cents, payable Jan. 16; record Dec. 30; xd Dec. 28.

La Luz Mines, 5 cents, payable Dec. 29; record Dec. 16; xd Dec. 14.

Sterling Trusts, 40 cents plus 20 cents extra, payable Jan. 3; record Dec. 19; xd Dec. 16.

Mailman Corp., 50 cents, payable Dec. 21; record Dec. 14; xd Dec. 12 (paid 25 cents last December).

B. and M. Breweries, 24 cents, payable Jan. 3; record Dec. 15; xd Dec. 13.

Reynolds Chains (Canada), 28 cents, payable Jan. 1; record Dec. 15; xd Dec. 13.

Egg Market

	Producer	Wholesale
Grade A large	56	68-69
Grade A medium	51	61-63
Grade A small	43	52-54
Grade B	36	36

Complete Vancouver Trading

OILS

Sales		High	Low	Close
6000	Bacon Oil	64	62	62
1000	Bola Pete	—	—	14
600	Charter Oil	—	—	175
200	Fed Petroleum	—	—	425
1500	Futurity	—	—	24
50	Home Oil	—	—	850
300	New Continental	—	—	55
3500	Rosemac	31	30	30
2000	United	150	145	150
1500	Vanalta	—	—	19½
7950	Vantor Exp	92	88	89
5600	Yankee Princess	68	67	68
2000	York Oil	—	—	9½

MINES

Sales		High	Low	Close
14000	Amer Standard	16	15½	15¾
29800	Beaver Lodge	81½	80	81
150	Bralorne	—	—	575
500	Can Collieries	14	13¾	13¾
750	Canam Con	111	110	110
800	Can Lithium	150	148	148
150	Cassiar Asb	—	—	800
1100	Giant Mascot	—	—	72
600	Grandoc	720	700	700
1000	Indian	—	—	4
200	Nat Exp	—	—	46
4000	NW Ventures	—	—	30
1372	Pacific Nickel	—	—	28
100	Pend Oreille	—	—	425
600	Pioneer Gold	195	192	192
50	Placer Dev	—	—	36½
1000	Premier Border	—	—	5½
3000	Quatsino Copper	31	28	31
1200	Sheep Creek	132	131	131
1505	Silver Cons	—	—	8½
7000	Sun Lardeau	—	—	23
500	Taylor Bridge	—	—	25
3000	West Explor	47	45	45
1825	W Potash	72	70	70

INDUSTRIALS

Sales		High	Low	Close
150	Alberta Dist VT	—	—	173
100	BC Forest Prod	—	—	13½
13	BC Power	—	—	34½
70	BC Telephone	—	—	48½
1000	BC Turf	—	—	82
35	Burrard Drydk A	—	—	900
800	CPR	34½	34½	34½
110	Cons M & R	—	—	36
2600	Inland Nat Gas	385	380	380
95	Lucky Lager	—	—	500
50	MacMillan B	—	—	42
65	Neon Prods

Stricken Man Home

VANCOUVER (CP) — Lewis R. Langley, 27-year-old research psychologist stricken with polio in Reno, Nev., last September, arrived home Thursday aboard a specially equipped RCAF plane.

Mr. Langley, married and with four children was stricken Sept. 10 while holidaying a short distance from Reno. His wife and the two children who accompanied them returned to Vancouver after arrangements for his care had been made in Reno.

A plane carrying an iron lung landed at Vancouver's International Airport shortly after 2 p.m. P.S.T. after a 4½ hour flight from Reno Thursday.

The iron lung was manually pumped during refuelling operations and when Mr. Langley was taken by transfer truck to hospital.

"He's still doing some work," checking reports and things like that, but he tires easily," said Mrs. Langley.

Mr. Langley is associated with the drug research and investigation department at Oakalla prison farm as well as being on the research staff of the University of British Columbia.

Centre of Race Controversy

As reported in yesterday's Colonist, application of Mrs. Mary Haster for immigration to Canada has been refused, according to her mother-in-law, Mrs. Gerardus Haster of Toronto. Mrs. Haster, shown with her husband and daughter Yvonne, is of East Indian extraction and married her husband in Holland. Rest of husband's family emigrated to Canada, fully expecting her permit would follow. But at The Hague, Holland, she was told her East Indian origin barred her from entry to Canada. — (CPC)

Hot Saanich Rally Expected Tonight

Wind-up of the Saanich municipal election campaign will take place tonight at 8 p.m. at the CCF hall, Cedar Hill road at Richmond.

Tonight's meeting has been called by ex-councillor A. E. Horner, to allow residents an opportunity to question council members on the Saanich sewer situation.

It is the last of four meetings for delegates to air their views and it is expected to be the stormiest.

NARROWED DOWN

The Saanich election issues have pretty well narrowed down to new candidates' claims of municipal mismanagement.

Reeve Joseph Casey and Arthur Ash are engaging in a bitter battle for the reeveship, with Mr. Ash insisting on answers to numerous questions, but not always gettings them.

Disclosure of a huge deficit in the sewer development and charges that records were not kept of gravel taken from the municipal pits, highlight charges of mismanagement.

Saturday, Saanich voters will cast their ballots at 13 polling stations from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Voters may vote at any poll.

Returning officer will be John Tribe, municipal clerk.

COLORED BALLOTS

Ballots for the reeveship will be white, for two-year council seats blue, for one-year council term, brown, for police commission, canary yellow and for the $220,000 waterworks loan by-law, pink.

Confusion is apt to occur with two Ronald Grants running for two-year council seats.

Lawyer Grant appears first on the ballot and is listed as "Grant, Ronald Macfarlane, Lockraven drive, barrister and solicitor." Immediately under his name is that of present Councillor Grant, who is listed as "Grant, Ronald MacHardy, 1514 Shorncliffe road, naturopathic physician."

Sweden Makes Uranium Strike

STOCKHOLM (Reuters) — One of the richest deposits in the world has been found under the Billingen mountain in the Vaester Goetland province of southwest Sweden, Dr. Josef Eklund, chief state geologist, said in a press statement Thursday. This uranium is contained in the shale strata of the mountain.

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Bust Dust Flies

Sir Wilfrid Leaves Attic

A bust of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, which has been gathering dust in a musty attic for the past few months, will be restored to a prominent position in the legislative buildings.

Premier W. A. C. Bennett reacted swiftly yesterday when a reporter informed him he had seen the bust of the great Canadian prime minister lying in a store room in the provincial museum.

The premier grabbed the phone and spoke to his executive assistant, Ronald Worley.

"Mr. Worley, I understand a bust of that great Canadian Sir Wilfrid Laurier in an attic some place. See that it is restored to a prominent place in the buildings."

Added the premier: "Irrespective of party I always respect all great Canadians."

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Crown Displays 21 Exhibits In Burglary Tool Hearing

An impressive array of 21 exhibits including alleged burglar tools were entered as evidence by the prosecution at the preliminary hearing of two men charged with possession of burglar tools.

The accused—Nelson Hutchinson, 642 Johnson, and Bhaga Singh, 2550 Vancouver—were remanded to Dec. 16.

The prosecution also entered evidence supporting its allegation that tools seized at 2:30 a.m. Nov. 26 were used a week earlier in a break-in.

Police yesterday identified a Vancouver man, Frederick John Schultz, as the person who fled from Detective Joseph Armstrong a threatening revolver when Hutchinson and Singh were arrested.

Schultz has not been recaptured.

The trio was found in a parked car on Albina street, 50 yards from the Gorge and a Super Valu store.

A steel bar six feet long and a small wrecking bar were found in the car. Four electric detonating caps, a flashlight battery and a piece of celluloid were found on Schultz, Det. Armstrong said.

As Const. Frank Briers radioed for further assistance Schultz fled, the detective said.

Det. Armstrong searched Hutchinson's hotel room and found 10 detonator caps in a dresser drawer. There were other tools; and rocks were described as "samples."

Prosecutor Lloyd McKenzie told the court he believed there was sufficient evidence to warrant a committal for trial.

He was requested by defence counsel James J. Proudfoot and T. P. O'Grady, to proceed when he said evidence could be given that the two bars were used earlier in a B&K store break-in.

RCMP Constable Kenneth W. Anderson, identification expert said that from photographs taken of the bars and markings around a B&K store door, he believed the bars "or something similar" made the marks.

Retarded Children Centre Discussed

Formation of a Victoria branch of the B.C. Association for Retarded Children was discussed at a special meeting last night at the health and welfare centre.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Leona B. Purdy, executive director of the Vancouver Association for Retarded Children and an executive of the B.C. group.

TRAINING CENTRE

The Vancouver association runs a training centre for retarded children, mostly cerebral palsy, of between 3 and 30. Ages of the 40 children there are another 30 on the waiting list range from 5 to 24 here, Mrs. Purdy said yesterday. "These are not very young children."

"Children have been forgotten too long," Mrs. Purdy said. "What is needed most is understanding by the whole public and a will to press to help."

How did she get started in the care of retarded children?

"I have a retarded boy of 16. That was my very good reason for starting this school," Mrs. Purdy said. "I knew there must be other mothers with the same problem."

She also has a 20-year-old son who is studying forestry at the University of B.C.

Last night's meeting was attended by representatives from service clubs, women's groups and other interested parties. Mrs. Purdy felt that a Victoria branch of the association was needed.

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Tax Appeal Fails Again

LONDON (CP) — The House of Lords decided Thursday that Mrs. Elsie Bambridge, daughter of Britain's Edward, must pay tax on investments in Canada.

It had postponed the Lords' highest court of appeal in London to quash a decision by a lower court ordering her to pay the tax on income derived from Kamouraska Investments Limited for the years 1948-50.

Mrs. Bambridge, who lives at Anstey Hall in Cambridgeshire, Britain, claimed she was not obliged to pay tax on the money because it was left her in her mother's will together with her parents' debts.

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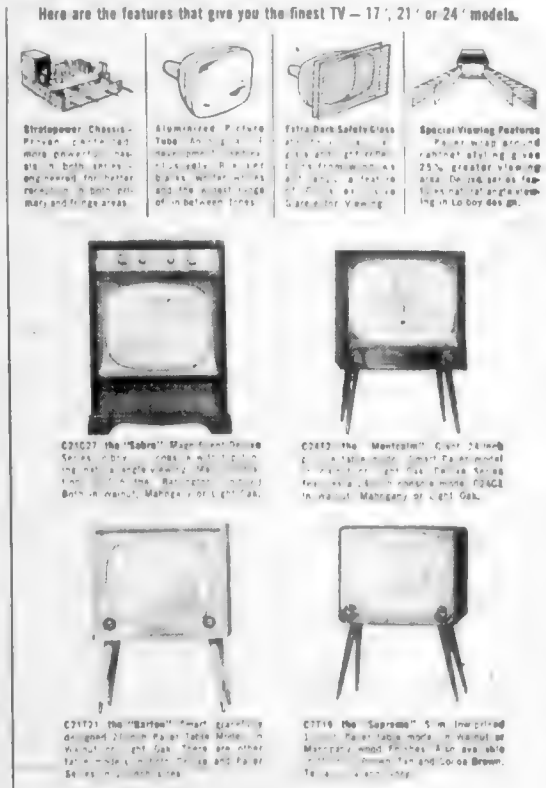

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Japanese Prince Comes of Age

Prince Yoshi, second son of Emperor Hirohito of Japan, bows before priests in the Imperial Palace at Tokyo during ceremonies observing his coming of age. On his 20th birthday, the prince became second in line to the world's oldest throne. Occasion was marked by rituals, many centuries old, which included a visit in orange-covered robes to the shrines of his ancestors to offer prayers.—(CPC)

Nurse Who Served in Two Wars Came Home to Victoria To Die

A nursing sister who won the nurse in St. Joseph's hospital highest award of the Red Cross she went overseas as an R.C.M.C. during the First World War nursing sister at the outbreak Miss Ethel Saunders native of the First World War served described of Victoria died here in the Gallipoli campaign in Wednesday in Veterans Hospital Salonika Greece and later in hospital France and England

Educated in the long departed She was appointed matron of Victoria School on Burdett, the military hospital at Work Miss Saunders trained as a Point barracks after the war and later to the Winnipeg military establishment

She toured Europe after her retirement on pension until the Second World War broke out, remained in London helping where she could during the bare Shortly before retired to Victoria

She will be buried in the family plot at Ross Bay Saturday after services at Hayward's chapel at 3 p.m.

Surviving are her brothers Ernest P. Langford Captain E. Edmonton and a sister Mrs Walter Wilson, in Bowmanville Ont.

Deed Well Done Rotary's Reward

Rotary in action is in essence the golden rule of conduct, Ken Partridge of Port Credit, Ont. told the Victoria service club at its luncheon meeting yesterday.

Mr. Partridge, the Canadian representative on Rotary International board took as his theme the Rotary motto: "He profits most who serves the best."

INWARD FEELING

Profit in this sense came from self fulfilment the inward feeling of satisfaction over a deed well done. He pointed out not from praise or pecuniary reward. He took his illustrations from daily life: the helping hand in trouble the kindly action of a neighbor are one of the innumerable little courtesies that smooth the path of life.

This enriched the spirit of the giver he declared. People often shied away from the spiritual felt it was inherent in every individual. There could be no escape from conscience.

TURN ON "YOU"

The searchlight of criticism to be valid and justified should turn on the prospect the latter turn on "you." This was the test he one could apply to world's the United Nations to world's efforts for peace towards any organization for Rotary members towards Rotary itself.

What each person does in his own life is the core of human progress everywhere. It was this ideal reflected in service, that lay behind the real concept of Rotary as a world wide movement he emphasized.

Giant Aircraft Arrives for Test

OTTAWA (CP) The Black from Reserve Air freighter one of the largest planes ever to appear in Canada landed here Thursday en route from Britain to Edmonton.

Ferrying flown by an RCAF crew to Namao Airfield near Edmonton for cold weather testing for the British supply ministry.

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Firing Hearing Moves Slowly

Cross-examination of a city industrial arts teacher appealing against his dismissal for alleged insolence moved at a snail's pace yesterday and three further sittings of a department of education reference board are scheduled.

The teacher Geoffrey D'Arcy was dismissed from his post at Lampson Street School last June for "impertinence and gross insolence" in connection with letters he sent to school board officials.

When the case continued at the school board offices yesterday Mr. D'Arcy was cross-examined at length by board counsel W. H. M. Haldane, QC.

"It's been made abundantly clear that the issue is — was he impertinent?" said Mr. Haldane. "If so, did it stem from a sense of frustration and was the frustration a justification?"

Mr. Haldane extracted a list of six causes of the "frustration" from Mr. D'Arcy and proceeded to cross-examine on each point.

After three hours he had completed questioning the teacher on only one of the six causes.

The board of reference has decided to sit all day Tuesday with further sittings Thursday and Friday.

Members of the board are John G. McIntosh chairman; Austin Curtis B.C. School Trustees' Association nominee, and B. C. Gillie, B.C. Teachers' Federation nominee.

Mr. D'Arcy is represented by Allan Baker.

ANCIENTLY CITY

The West German town of Lunenburg from where many settlers went to Lunenburg N.S. marks its 1000th anniversary in 1956.

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She Took Some Wine

Bullet Pattern Disciplines Wife

GREENE, Me. (CP) A pistol-toting gentleman farmer was arrested yesterday on charges that he outlined his wealthy wife with bullets in circus fashion while she lay fear-stricken in bed.

Deputy sheriff Leonard Gagne arrested Virgil McCann, 35, at his wife's $60,000 home in Greene.

Greene was charged with assault with intent to kill Mrs. Josephine McCann, 41, whom he married three years ago.

The deputy described McCann as a crack shot who always carries a gun.

Gagne quoted Mrs. McCann as saying the shooting incident occurred last night after her husband discovered some wine missing from a gallon jug.

She told Gagne she emptied about a quart out of the half-filled jug and McCann accused her of drinking it.

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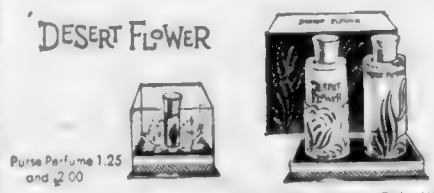

Purse Perfume 1.25 and 2.00 — Hand and Body Lotion, Toilet Water 3.50 — Separately: Toilet Water 2.00 Lotion 1.25

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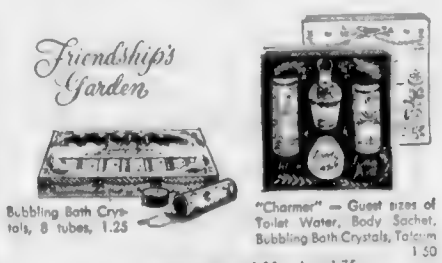

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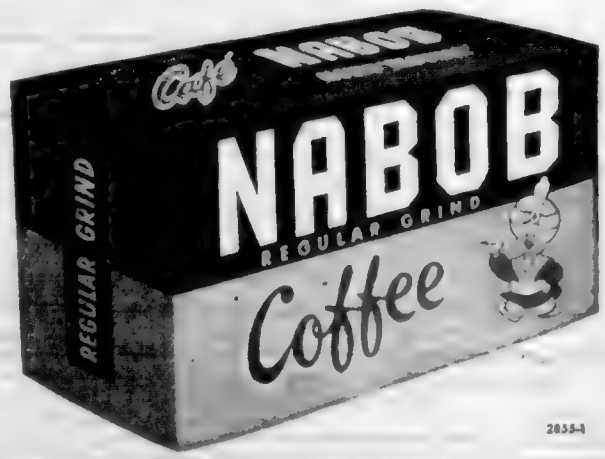

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'Goof Party' Pictured

VANCOUVER (CP)—A scene of wild disorder was described in court Thursday by two police officers who raided a "goof ball" party in a Vancouver home last November.

The officers said they found several nembutal pills, empty liquor and beer bottles, broken windows and dishes and a litter of spilled food when they called at the home.

Six were charged with contributing to juvenile delinquency following the raid. A 14-year-old girl was also found at the "lost weekend" party, but wasn't charged. The trial is continuing.

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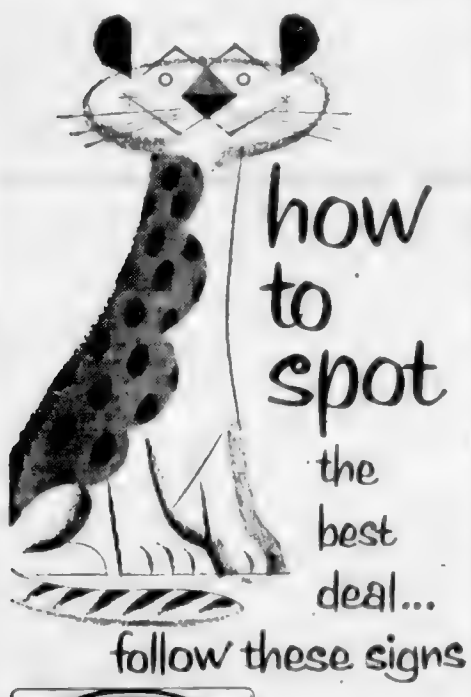

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LONDON (UP)—Admiral of the Fleet Lord Fraser proposed in the House of Lords the burial of all atom and hydrogen bombs in the following places:

"Half-way up Mt. Everest, the Sahara desert and Basutoland."

German Fight Shaping

BONN (AP) — A conflict has erupted in West Germany over selection of its new army's high command.

The powerful Citizens' Committee which screens the appointment of senior officers has just rejected two of Defence Minister Theodor Blank's closest advisers for top posts in the armed forces.

Defence ministry officials, angered by what they call a personal affront to Blank, are fighting back. They have protested to Parliament's security committee and are losing about a direct appeal to Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

German newspapers are predicting a crisis pitting the defence ministry, an arm of the executive branch, against the Citizens' Committee named by Parliament.

HAS BLANKET VETO

This 3-member group was established to screen the characters and past behavior of all officers named to the rank of colonel or above. The idea was to keep former Nazis, war criminals, members of Hitler's SS Elite Corps and others considered politically unreliable out of the new Wehrmacht. This group has an absolute veto on recommendations for officer appointments from the defence ministry.

Butler Involved

Cabinet Reshuffle Planned by Eden

LONDON (UP)—Prime Minister Sir Anthony Eden will make sweeping changes in his cabinet before he goes to Canada and the United States next month to visit Prime Minister St. Laurent and President Eisenhower, authoritative sources said [illegible]

The reports said the changes probably would involve chancellor of the exchequer R. A. Butler, now the No. 2 man in the Conservative government, and possibly foreign minister Harold MacMillan.

The sources said Eden has not yet completed the projected reshuffle but that the long-delayed rearrangement would come sometime between Christmas and the New Year. The changes have been expected since last summer.

The most startling report, and one not confirmed, was that Butler may be promoted to become deputy premier and leader of the House of Commons. He has been reported "tired" of the burden the treasury has imposed upon him, and since the death of his wife recently he has been reported anxious to make a change.

The difficulty in replacing Butler as chancellor of the exchequer was reported behind the delay in reshuffling the cabinet. The post requires expert knowledge because of the powerful control it exerts over Britain's economy.

The reports said MacMillan might be considered as a possible candidate to succeed Butler. But MacMillan took over the foreign office from Eden only a few months ago and it was feared moving him might imply criticism of his achievements as foreign secretary.

HISTORIC MISSION

The Moravian mission among the Eskimo at Hopedale on the east coast of Labrador was established in 1782.

The Courtroom Parade

Court Cleared as Girl Testifies in Rape Case

A 17-year-old girl identified a man in the prisoner's box as her alleged attacker when she confronted him in city police court yesterday.

The girl identified Girard Joseph Green, Kingston, Ont., formerly stationed at Gordon Head barracks. Green is charged with rape.

Counsel Alan Macfarlane told the court last week he felt it proper for the accused to be identified in a line-up rather than in court.

ADJOURNMENT GRANTED

An adjournment was granted but Magistrate Henry Hall said he could not order a line-up and allowed the adjournment to give police the identification opportunity if they so desired.

The courtroom was cleared of public yesterday as defence counsel began his cross-examination of the girl, who testified for an hour.

Infantryman E. Biggar, Gordon Head barracks, told the court he was with Green from about 10:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m. the same night.

They pawned a watch, had two meals and drank beer during that time. Biggar said that when they parted in the north end of the city, heading towards barracks, Green said:

"Let's attack some broad on the street or go to some woman's apartment."

KNEW NO ONE

Green said he knew no one in the area, Biggar testified.

The witness denied defence counsel suggestion that he might have recently refreshed his memory by reading a statement he gave to police.

Asked whether what was attributed to Green was only "in effect" what the accused said, Biggar hesitated many seconds before replying, "I'll say those are the words he said."

The preliminary hearing was adjourned until Dec. 19.

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FAIRBANKS, Alaska (AP)—The Russians are putting the rush on the walrus in the Bering sea, and St. Lawrence island Eskimos have had to turn to whales to save themselves from starvation.

This was reported by Rev. Elmer E. Parker who has returned here after five months at a Presbyterian mission on the remote island [illegible] Siberia.

Mr. Parker said the Eskimo villagers reported the Russians are engaging in a large-scale slaughter of walrus for food and other unexplained purposes.

As a consequence, the Eskimos did not hunt walrus for food as was their ancient custom. The mission resulting poor economic condition, Rev. Parker said he was shocked at the [illegible] of island natives.

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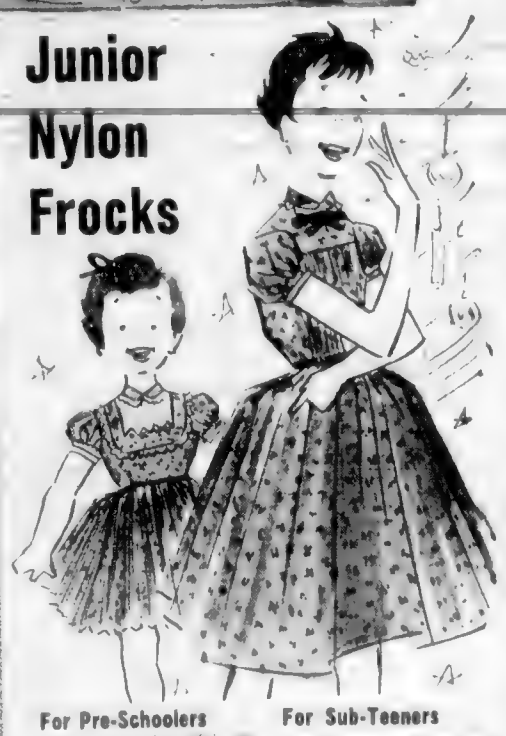

For Pre-Schoolers

Choose from beautiful embossed nylons with pleated [illegible] self sashes, velvet sashes and [illegible] puffed sleeves. Some have full rayon crinolines with net frills around bottom. In pastel pink, blue, turquoise, gold, cocoa, yellow and red. Sizes 4 to 6x. Each

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For Sub-Teeners

Lovely embossed nylon frocks in a variety of styles including peasant, [illegible] skirted models. All have full rayon crinolines with net frills at the hemline and velvet or self sashes. Choose from pink, blue, green, yellow and turquoise. In sizes 7 to 12. Each

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For Toddlers

Your wee little girl will look adorable in one of these nylon frocks with full crinoline underships. There are several styles to choose from, some with short puffed sleeves, some with self sashes, others with velvet sashes and all have bodice trim. In polka dot and floral patterns, colours pink, blue, coral or turquoise in sizes 2, 3 and 3x. Each

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For Young Teens

Girls just entering their teens love these nylon dresses with full flaring skirts, neat little collars and pretty button trim. They like the new long torso style and matching crinolines that come with them. In colours turquoise, navy and green. Sizes 10 to 14x. Each

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Christmas Carols

Rotary Girls' Choir

They'll be singing your favourite Christmas carols on Saturday morning from 8.40 to 8.55 a.m. The main Douglas Street doors will be opened at 8.30 so you may join in with them. Christmas carol sheets will be supplied. You enjoyed their sweet voices last year . . . hear them again! The well-known Rotary Girls' Choir, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Victoria.

Inexpensive Toys from the Trim-A-Tree Shop

EATON'S specialty shop for Christmas decorations also features inexpensive toys for girls and boys. Come to the Trim-A-Tree Shop, Lower Main Floor (next to the EATON Post Office) for decorations on the tree and toys under the tree.

Repeating Cap Pistols Gene Autry, each	98¢ and 1.98	Dishwashing Set [illegible] plastic [illegible] washing pans, AOB pads, each [illegible] and soap Set	1.59
Lone Ranger each	69¢	Betty Tea Cooking Set complete with a [illegible] the necessary items for cooking Set	1.47
Wild Bill Hickok each	1.39	Lucy Pastry Set [illegible] rolling pin, egg beater and cocoa sheet Set	1.47
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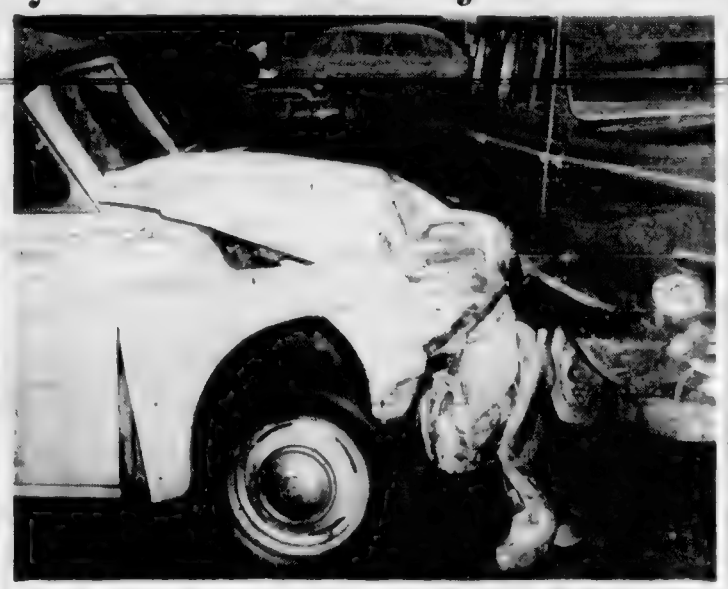
Police Expressions Tell Story as Accident Injures Five

First aid for painful facial lacerations was applied by Constables George Buckle, Norman Galbraith and Sgt. Brooke Douglass, shown here assisting collision victim Carol Bloomquist, 13, 3051 Westdowne, into the police car before she was taken to Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday. She was treated in hospital for a fractured right wrist and was described in satisfactory condition last night.



Hole in windshield was made by the young girl's head in the head-on collision at Cook and Hillside with a car driven by Doreen E. Hughes, 50 Regina. Other occupants of the English-model car who were also treated at Jubilee were the girl's mother, driver Mrs. G. J. Scott, who suffered a fractured ankle, and an infant sister, Lorraine Scott, who had a forehead cut.—(Colonist photos by Jim Ryan)

Suites Damaged

Firemen Save Sleeping Girl In City Blaze

Victoria firemen awakened a sleeping girl when fire broke out in a two-story frame apartment building at 1831 Stanley yesterday.

Sheila Fenning fled the home unhurt.

Two of three suites were damaged by the fire, a downstairs two-room apartment of seaman Norman Gamble, HMCS Ontario, and his wife, and an upstairs four-room flat occupied by sisters, Mrs. Violet Wells and Mrs. Hazel Bray.

Five rooms of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fenning and their daughters Sheila and Diane 17, were not damaged.

BILLOWING SMOKE

The alarm was turned in by Mrs. Wells. Sitting in her kitchen she saw smoke billowing through the floor of another room.

Mrs. Wells said she was unsuccessful "in waking Sheila and warned firemen of her situation when they arrived.

Firemen believe the fire started from a faulty fireplace in the Gamble suite. Flames spread up beside the chimney between walls, destroyed a closet full of clothes in the Wells suite and pierced the roof.

Only two rooms were damaged by fire, one in the Gamble suite and another in the second-floor suite.

Owner, Mrs. F. H. Smyly, 1367 Hampshire, had no estimate of damage. The loss is insured.

Seen In Passing

Jack Dirom presiding at his counter in Victoria's oldest newsstand. Jack has been in business at the same spot for 35 years. 1231 Government. He set up after he was demobilized following the First World War.

"And I've been here ever since," he says. He and his wife, **Isabella**, have two married daughters **Kathleen** and **Marguerita**. Jack has a staff of three and manages to get away from business to do a bit of bowling! . . . Candidates **Jane Hall** and **Hugh Ramsay** in the knot of voters waiting to be first to cast ballots . . . **Tommy Watkins** looking a bit harassed by the Christmas rush . . . **Logan Mayhew** hurrying to get to the polls in time to vote . . . **Barbara Sinclair** telling friends about a novel Christmas card she had made . . . **Howie Bowles** saying who he would vote for if he voted in the city election . . . **Tom Walker** advising on a furnace problem . . . **Jack Allison** sporting a new car.

Today's Events

FRIDAY, DEC. 9

Noon—Lions Club, Empress hotel; speaker, J. A. Saunders on "Impressions of Australia."

8 p.m. — Victoria Natural History Society, Oak Bay Junior High school; Walter H. Shackleton on "Rhapsody in Blue Grass."

Final Election Focal Point Was 100 Swift Tabulators

More than 100 men worked swiftly but carefully at and around long tables in the firemen's recreation hall last night to let Victoria know as soon as possible who had been elected to civic office.

Many of the men were members of the city fire staff and many had worked all day in the market building checking voters off the list and giving out ballots.

There were no women or girls among the counters. Frank Hunter, returning officer and city clerk, has made it a policy over the years not to engage women for the long and arduous election-day job.

While candidates and other interested spectators watched from behind a barrier, ballot boxes brought from the market were emptied for a preliminary numerical count.

Then the ballots were returned to boxes for safekeeping and dealt out in bunches to the counters working in pairs along the long tables. As one member of each team read off the vote, the other marked them on a tally sheet.

Other workers collected tally sheets at frequent intervals and transferred results to a main tally sheet and the large blackboard erected on a stage at the end of the low, narrow hall.

Behind the barrier running almost the full length of the hall, spectators' excitement mounted with the totals.

Then with the first count complete and the onlookers leaving fast in jubilant or unhappy groups, Returning Officer Hunter and his staff got down to work again on a final count.

Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association about 300 strong will sit down together for Christmas dinner in the Crystal Garden at 1 p.m. Tuesday.

Escaped Death By Inches

Special to the Colonist

PARKSVILLE — Tom Bonner of Parksville narrowly escaped death or serious injury yesterday when his car collided with the fast-moving E & N Daylner railway coach at a level crossing on the Alberni highway about one mile west of Parksville.

The accident occurred in the gathering dusk about 5 p.m.

Bonner was treated for minor cuts and bruises by Dr. Matthew Dale of Parksville.

There was no immediate estimate of damage, though the car was said to be damaged extensively.

Bonner was alone in the car, driving towards Parksville. The Daylner was heading for Victoria. The crossing is located at the foot of a hill.

Crash Death 'Accident'

Death of Ernest Paul Whitehouse, 20, of 1539 Oakland, in a traffic accident last Monday night, was ruled "accidental" by a coroner's inquest jury yesterday.

The motorcyclist apparently hit the back of a truck dock police said. The motorcycle went under the dock and bounced out onto the road.

The truck was parked about 5.15 p.m. by Sohan Singh on Finlayson, near Stevenson.

Whitehouse struck the vehicle about five minutes after it was parked. He was dead on arrival at Royal Jubilee hospital.

Dr. Robert Slinger said the youth suffered a fractured nose, dislocated jaw and vertebrae in his neck, and a compound fracture of a knee.

He attributed death to the neck injury or an overwhelming concussion.

Police said general visibility conditions were poor but use of rain but that lighting was good at the scene. No other cars were parked near the truck.

History Made

Sidney Voters Elect Woman To Commission for First Time

SIDNEY—Sidney electors yesterday voted a woman into office as a village commissioner for the first time in the history of the Saanich peninsula community.

Mrs. Vivian Cowan, a young Victoria war widow and mother of two young children, was elected to the commission with 124 votes.

Also elected was another newcomer, Joe Bilgen, a meat distributor, who polled 180 votes.

Defeated in bids for re-election to the commission were R. C. Martman, with 115 votes, and C. J. Douma, with 107. Terms of both men expire at the end of the year.

Other unsuccessful candidate were Frank Hunt, 151, and L. R. Christian, 93.

Mrs. Cowan and Mr. Bilgen, who has sought office unsuccessfully on previous occasions, will take their places on the commission in January with sitting members Herbert Brad ex, chairman, James Eaton and Stan Watang, whose terms have another year to run.

Around Town

Liquor Stores Open Late Holiday Eves

Liquor stores will be open late on both Christmas and New Year's eves, despite a request by Vancouver Trades and Labor Council asking the government to have them closed at 6 p.m.

A government official said the public should be given service at this time of the year.

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To speed Christmas mails, the post office is making additional collections from letter boxes daily.

The public is asked to mail as early and as frequently as possible.

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James O'Toole was elected president of the Ward 2 Liberal Association at the annual meeting held Tuesday evening.

Other officers elected were Thomas Peter, vice-president; Mrs. M. Robertson, secretary and R. C. Keane, treasurer.

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Firing practice will be carried out Dec. 15 and 16 by HMCS Brockville and HMCS Digby from 8.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and by the minesweepers Comox and James Bay from 8.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Dec. 19.

Danger area will be from Race Rocks to Discovery Island.

Lighter Winds Today

Victoria will be awarded lighter breezes today after enduring gale-force winds and rainstorms during the past three days.

But the respite will be short-lived. Another storm is brewing in the central Pacific and should bring a renewed blast of wind and rain during the weekend.

A few showers are forecast today by the weatherman and the sun may break through the overcast late this afternoon. Temperature will rise to 44 today.

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Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, will address members of the White Can Club at the annual Christmas dinner of the group sponsored by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

The banquet will be held in Eaton's dining room Wednesday evening.

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Retail merchants group of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday at noon at the Pacific Club to make a decision regarding store hours for the period preceding Christmas day. The 700 block Yates organization has decided to remain open late on Friday, Dec. 16.

Bennett Contradicts Reeve Norris

Greater Victoria will receive "hundreds of thousands of dollars more" during the next 10 years, according to Premier W. A. C. Bennett.

The premier was commenting on a report by Oak Bay Reeve F. E. Norris who said Wednesday Greater Victoria would lose as much as $750,000 during a 10-year period as a result of the provincial school finance formula.

"Reeve Norris is just not correct," said the premier.

He refused to elaborate on how the money would be paid, or for what purpose.

Suspects Held For Thefts

ALBERNI — Arrest of two men suspected of a break-in, the theft of a cash register in downtown Alberni was made by RCMP here within 12 hours of the crime.

The two, whose names have not yet been released, are also being questioned in connection with theft of more than $100 in cheques and cash from a Port Alberni garage early Tuesday morning.

The cash register, containing $30 in silver and a quantity of cigarettes and other items of merchandise were stolen from the Overwaitea Store about 3 a.m. Thursday.

The burglars gained entry by breaking in to the connecting Beggs Meat Market.

The theft was discovered by Overwaitea manager Ivan Dumas when he opened the store for business in the morning.

Good in Parts

Passion Play Style Confuses Audience

By BRUCE LOWTHER

A faithful interpretation of the story of Jesus' last week on earth is given in the Black Hills Passion Play, viewed with interest by several thousand persons at Victoria Memorial Arena last night.

Led by Josef Meier as Jesus, the cast of more than 100 performs in the traditional style established in Europe centuries ago, a style with which Victorians are not familiar.

The acting leans toward the histrionics of the stage rather than the simple speech and action which accomplished so much in "Day of Triumph" the recent motion picture relating Jesus' story.

From years of portraying the part of Jesus, Mr. Meier has good stage presence. But the sonorousness with which he delivered every line and the equal emphasis he gave every phrase, no matter what its meaning, considerably reduced his effectiveness.

Performance of Fred Hagan as Judas was more impressive and those of the high priests kept up his pace. Acting of other subordinates was undistinguished and crowd scenes were disorganized.

However, the over-long first of the play, up to the time Jesus is sentenced to death, was compensated for somewhat by good presentations of the crucifixion, resurrection and ascension.

A choir of approximately 60 voices drawn from many city churches and conducted by Graham Steed, should have been used more often. Considerable strength was added to those few scenes in which the choir was used.

Lighting was also used effectively and sets are very well made.

Play will be seen again at 2.30 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. today and 2 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. tomorrow.

UBC Given 400 Acres

Premier W. A. C. Bennett yesterday reported lots of developments but no announcements from his meeting with University of B.C. officials in Vancouver Tuesday.

"The government has approved a 10-year construction program and has also given an additional 400 acres for the UBC campus," said the premier yesterday.

He added the government would help UBC in every way possible.

Weather Upset Chickens

Chickens don't like cold weather.

The cold snap in November snapped the egg-laying schedule of the chickens, poultry farmers report. Said crippled is the industry that wholesalers on Vancouver Island are importing about 600 cases of eggs each week from the mainland, from as far east as Montreal and from the United States.

Coupled with the egg crop failure is a present high demand for eggs for the Christmas baking season.

Help Pours In

Burned-Out Family Receives Cash, Goods

Aid in the form of cash, clothing, food, furniture and utensils started to flow to collection points yesterday for the burned-out Theris Cove family of George Barker.

Friends and neighbors offered immediate assistance, but much of the goods and money has been from persons who don't know the Barkers.

Actor Josef Meier, who portrays Christ in the Passion Play to be performed here tonight and Saturday, heard and answered the call for aid while he was interviewed at a Victoria radio station yesterday.

Cash fund for the family totalled $45 last night.

Collection points for all assistance are at the homes of Mrs. W. L. George, 156 View Royal, Mrs. A. C. Burnett, 284 Helmcken road, and Songhees chief Percy Ross, 1500 Admirals road.

DESTROYED EVERYTHING

The unexplained blaze destroyed all the belongings of Mr. and Mrs. Barker, son Donald, 18, and his wife Muriel, 18, and son Reginald, 11. All escaped without injury. But a dog and cat perished.

Through efforts mainly of the Craigflower Women's Institute, the family has received two beds, pots, pans, a kitchen table and chairs beside the cash donations.

Red Cross promises bedding which will be brought here from Vancouver tomorrow.

Meanwhile the services of an orchestra have been volunteered to raise money to rehabilitate the Barkers and are looking for a hall to hold a benefit dance.

Hall Empty

Election Rally Record Set

An attendance record of a negative sort was set at Colville road Scout hall last night when voters of the Gorge Vale district were given the opportunity of seeing and hearing their municipal candidates.

The civic-minded crowd totalled two off-duty Esquimalt policemen. The meeting was called off and the eight candidates folded their unsaid speeches and went home.

It was the first time in the memory of officials in the area when an election rally failed to lure a single curious soul through the doors.

Esquimalt Reeve A. C. Wurtele blamed the lack of response on the rain and pea-soup fog rather than lack of interest.

"They were probably content to sit at home and listen to the city election results," he said.

Mail Offer . . . *. . . To Out-of-Towners*

Cook Book Available to All

A special arrangement has been made for out-of-town residents to obtain copies of the fast-selling cook book, published by The Daily Colonist in co-operation with the Women's Auxiliary to the Veterans' hospital.

Orders may be sent to the editorial secretary of The Daily Colonist, 2631 Douglas. Total cost is $1.15, which includes $1 for the book, five cents provincial sales tax, and 10 cents to cover mailing charges.

More than 400 copies of the popular book have been sold this week at Colonist offices at 2631 Douglas and 1215 Broad. The books will be on sale at the two offices until further notice.

Sales are being conducted by the Women's Auxiliary which will devote net proceeds to furnishing the new chapel for hospital patients.

Beauty and You

By MARION MATTHEWS

There are many girls who suffer from sore heels or "bumps", and this condition is always aggravated by cold weather. Lots of care and a little pampering can lessen their often painful condition and even improve their appearance.

Generally, wrong size shoes are responsible for creating [illegible] the heel. The shoe that is too short is the worst offender and if you have such a problem, have your foot carefully measured to see if a half-size longer shoe will help lessen this trouble.

To pamper your feet, cream them a few times a week, particularly if heels dry out and crack during winter. Begin with a good soap and warm water sudsing, first with a brush and then with a pumice stone. Pat dry. Then cream with fingertips working cream in circular motions on heels and then using long upward strokes about the ankle. Do this for two or three nights running and then you may find it sufficient to repeat the treatment just twice a week. In between sessions use a good hand lotion on heels and legs.

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Debutantes Presented

Four Ottawa debutantes pose during their coming-out party at the annual Garrison ball in Ottawa. Later they were presented to Governor-General Massey. Left to right: Helen Mantha (seated), Wendy Elizabeth Ferguson, Shirley Stanbrook and Joan Morrisey.—(CP photo)

Queen Mother, Princess View Striking Gown, Canadian Furs

LONDON (Reuters) — Evening gowns were featured in a private fashion show put on Wednesday for the Queen Mother and Princess Margaret by London's Big Twelve dressmakers.

One of the most striking gowns comes from the royal dressmaker, Norman Hartnell. It is a ball dress in white Scottish satin embroidered in one long trail of vividly coloured violets in glittering sequins. The violets start at the bodice and end near the hem of the skirt.

Over the strapless bodice, but-toned down the front, is worn a flowing stole lined with violet satin. The green of the violet leaves and embroidered with one large cluster of violets which at first sight appears to be a part of the length skirt is sheath-like in front with a tuck fold of satin on either side forming a back apron effect.

Another evening model in British cooper satin by Victor Stabell is in two tones of pink. The bodice and a loose back apron are set off by a clinging sheath skirt and deep-shaped slip-over stole in the deeper tone.

Twelve white Arctic fox skins, from among the best bred in Canada this year, are used by Ronald Paterson to line the collar of a black cocktail and restaurant ensemble. The furs were sent specially from Canada and bonded through customs for the royal show. The ensemble now is going to Canada to be shown throughout the country. Paterson, a Scot, is the youngest member of the "Big Twelve," the exclusive Incorporated Society of London Fashion Designers.

Bazaar and Tea

Island Temple No. 8 Pythian Sisters will hold a Christmas bazaar and tea at the Knights of Pythias hall, 723 Cormorant street, on Saturday, Dec. 10, which Mrs. Harrison, wife of Mayor Harrison, has kindly consented to "Open" at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. H. Urwin is the general convenor. Tea will be served and the stalls for sale of aprons, fancy work, home-cooking and white elephant articles will be in evidence. There will be a door prize.

For Holiday Time . . .

Pickle Snacks Grace Entree Tray

BY THE CHEF

Especially around holiday time, the wise hostess is always prepared for unexpected guests. It's a good idea to keep on your pantry shelf staples that you can whip up at a moment's notice an array of canapes. Pickles and pickle relishes are especially handy to have around, they combine with so many foods into so many different tempting [illegible]. Here are three you might like to try.

PICKLE FRANK SNACKS

Strat with 32 1½-inch bread rounds. Spread bottled bacon and cheese spread over them. Cut 8 frankfurters into thin lengthwise slices. Wrap these around the bread rounds and fasten with toothpicks. Beat 2 egg yolks until thick and lemon colored. Add a dash of salt to 2 egg whites and beat till stiff but not dry. Fold egg whites, ¼ cup mayonnaise and ¼ cup sweet pickle relish drained into egg yolks. Place 1 tablespoon of this mixture on top of each frankfurter round. Place on broiler rack and broil 3 to 4 inches from heat.

COCKTAIL DUNK

Combine 1 8-ounce package of cream cheese, softened with 2 tablespoons milk. Blend well. Add ¼ cup tomato paste, ½ cup chopped bologna and ½ cup chopped sweet gherkins. Mix well. Season with garlic salt. Serve this as a dip for potato chips or crackers.

HORS D'OEUVRE STACKS

Combine ¼ cup sweet pickle relish, 1 8-ounce package of chive cream cheese and a dash of salt, blend well. Spread some of the mixture on 2 slices of Swiss cheese, top each with [illegible] slice of pressed ham. Spread more of the mixture on the ham, then top with two more cheese slices. Repeat [illegible] layer. Wrap in waxed paper and chill. When ready to serve, cut into small cubes [illegible]

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CCF Bazaar Saturday

Oak Bay CCF annual bazaar and tea will be held on Saturday, Dec. 10, at 2.30 p.m. on Wordsworth Mill, [illegible] Cheltenham street. Mrs. Ruth Jackson and Mrs. F. Lyne are convenors of the affair at which home cooking, needlework and many other wares will be offered for sale. There will be bingo and a lucky draw in the evening.

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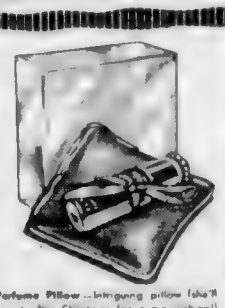

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Visiting in Ottawa

Mrs. D. J. Miller, Hampshire road, is visiting her daughter [illegible]

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Honor Frances Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith, 19 Lovey crescent, were at home Sunday, Dec. 4, to honor their daughter, Miss Frances Smith, and her fiance, Mr. Cyril Gagnon. The many gifts and the bridal trousseau made by the bride-elect were shown to the guests. Mrs. G. Wood and Mrs. J. G. M. Lock poured tea and coffee at the prettily arranged table which was covered with a cutwork cloth and centred with a cut glass bowl of wine-toned chrysanthemums. Mrs. J. Dickson assisted in serving. Capt. and Mrs. W. T. Gagnon, Mrs. W. Lee and Mrs. K. Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. V. Gagnon, relatives of the groom-elect, and more than 70 friends and neighbors were present.

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Rodney Wood Baptized

Rodney Wayne were the names given the four-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wood, 1641 Gladstone avenue, when he was baptized by Rev. T. Lanceley at Belmont United church, Dec. 4. The baby wore a white nylon dress. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hooker of Victoria and Mrs. George Wood of Victoria is the paternal grandmother. Members of the immediate family were guests later at luncheon at the home of the child's parents. Yellow chrysanthemums in low bowls and lighted blue candles decorated the table which was centred with a christening cake made by Mrs. J. Knowles.

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Bridesmaid Entertains

To honor Miss Frances Smith, bride-to-be of this week, Miss Peggy Spears, who is to be one of her bridesmaids, entertained at a kitchen shower at her home, 471 Nelson street. Pink rose buds on corsage were presented to the guest of honor. Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. W. T. Gagnon, mother of the groom-elect, received feathered plums. A box prettily decorated in pink and white held the wedding gifts. Games were played and refreshments were served to the hostess. The guests were Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Gagnon, Mrs. T. Robinson, Mrs. W. Blevins, Mrs. A. Baird, Mrs. B. Lee, Mrs. J. McRoberts, Mrs. B. Kent, Mrs. A. Spears and Miss Gloria McRoberts.

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Towels for Gifts

Miss Frances Smith, December bride-elect, was honored recently when Mrs. James P. Dickson entertained at her home on Asquith street. On arrival the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage of gold and bronze chrysanthemums. Gifts of towels with a favorite recipe of the donor were presented to the guest of honor. The refreshment table centred with a bowl of gold and bronze chrysanthemums was presided over by Mrs. Alfred Smith, mother of the bride-to-be, at the coffee urn and Mrs. W. T. Gagnon, mother of the groom, at the tea urn. Those present were Mrs. George Hunter, Mrs. Gordon Wood, Mrs. John Thomson, Mrs. Ross Powell, Mrs. James Gourlay, Mrs. Peter Smith, Mrs. A. Young, Mrs. John McCall, Mrs. D. P. W. Maunsell, Mrs. J. E. Hanna and Miss Mary Smith.

Guild Bazaar Realizes $285

A successful Christmas bazaar was held at St. David's by-the-Sea, Wednesday afternoon, under auspices of the Women's Guild. More than $285 was realized.

Mrs. Brian Whitlow, who was introduced by Mrs. G. M. Lewis, opened the tea. Mrs. W. Allen accepted a Christmas corsage from Mrs. J. Weiser, who was in charge of Christmas decorations.

Mrs. C. Hill and Mrs. Fred Smith sold needlework at their stall. Miss F. O. Lewis and Mrs. E. Mackenzie were in charge of superfluities. A rose bear stall of gifts and novelties was the charge of Mrs. S. Morgan Hebbs and Mrs. L. Salmon. Hand dipped chocolate fudges and toffee were offered for sale by Mrs. S. W. Tucker and Mrs. J. J. Hutton and sold quickly. Mrs. A. Taylor was in charge of a heap of parcels by post that were popular with the patrons.

The home cooking table managed by Mrs. H. Stevenson, Mrs. V. Field and Mrs. J. Mitchell, was, as usual the first to sell out. Mrs. F. Wilmot's brightly decorated tree, hung with wrapped parcels, was well patronized by the children. Mrs. A. Miner and Mrs. W. Roberts were in charge of tea tickets while Mrs. J. B. Minchin checked parcels.

Tea was served in the guild rooms from tables covered with pink tree cloths and red taper. Mrs. B. Dixe, convener, was assisted in serving by Mrs. R. Robinson, Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. N. Westwood, Mrs. J. Kiergar, Mrs. B. Rentrew, Mrs. V. Robinson and Mrs. I. Warner. A beautifully decorated Christmas cake offered as a door prize was won by Mrs. Minchin. Heather O'Connell, winner of a gay afghan by guessing post that were popular with the patrons, the number of ounces of wool it contained.

Skillings-Russell Wedding Group

A lovely wedding of the season was when Miss Joy Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Russell, became the bride of Mr. John Gordon Skillings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gordon Skillings. The picture shows the entire wedding group, standing back, from left to right, Mr. Robert Skillings, Mr. Garry Pynn, Mr. Douglas Skillings, Mr. Arthur Whittingham, best man; the groom, bride, Miss Sharon Malcolm, maid of honor; Mrs. Garry Pynn, bridesmatron. Seated, left, Miss Diana Shouse, Seattle, Wash., bridesmaid, and Mrs. Robert Skillings, bridesmatron.—(Jus-rite photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Witteveen Will Reside in Langley

A pretty wedding was solemnized recently when Miss Patricia Lavinia Shaw, daughter of Mrs. Shaw of Parksville and the late Mr. Douglas Shaw, became the bride of Mr. Hendrik Jacob Witteveen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Witteveen of Den Bosch, Holland.

Rev. Dr. Douglas Kendel officiated at the double-ring ceremony in the Church of St. Saviour.

The church was beautifully decorated with yellow and mauve chrysanthemums. Mrs. Velma Patch played the organ music.

The charming bride chose a gown of white bouffant-length nylon net with lace panels and the jacket had lily point sleeves. Her fingertip veil was held with a coronet of seed pearls and she carried an orchid on a white prayer book. Her jewelry was a twenty-inch pearl necklace and earrings.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Jean Dawson of Nanoose Bay, who wore a frock of pink nylon and net in the short length, fashioned with draped lace and small jacket. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink and mauve chrysanthemums.

Mr. Charles Dawson of Nanoose Bay was groomsman and ushers were Mr. Ronald Wilkins and Mr. Forest Harris.

For the reception in the Esquimalt Community Hall, the bride's table was laid with a white linen cloth and centred by silver candelabra and the wedding cake. Rev. Dr. Kendell said grace and gave a toast to the bride.

The bride changed into a two-piece suit of wool tweed in navy with pink topcoat and navy accessories for going away to Vancouver.

They plan to reside in Langley, B.C.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Beefink of Westholme, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris, Douglas and Gerald Harris of [illegible] Dawson and Faye and Sidney of Nanoose.

McMicking IODE Christmas Party

Monthly meeting of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, IODE, was held at the home of Mrs. A. M. Fortune, 845 Fairfield road, on Tuesday with 24 members present.

Plans were made for the chapter's Christmas party, to be held at the home of Mrs. O. Fowler, 2750 Thistle, place on Dec. 19 at which time contributions will be received from the members for Luna hampers to be presented to the sightless at Christmastime.

Monetary donations were voted by the chapter for the Family and Children's Services to assist in the furnishing of a children's home and also to the Korean Projects Fund.

Jubilee Junior Auxiliary To Decorate 34 Christmas Trees

At the December meeting of the Junior Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee hospital, held Monday at the nurses' home, three new members were introduced, Mrs. P. S. Waddup, Mrs. Evan Jones and Mrs. P. Newell.

On Dec. 22, the auxiliary members will decorate 34 Christmas trees for the hospital wards, a project which is undertaken each year.

With the sum of $1,000 left over from redecorating the ground floor rooms of the nurses' home, it was decided to provide new bedspreads and lamps for the rooms of the new class to be entered in January.

Mrs. Fred Bartholomew reported that 13 visits were made to discharged patients during the month of November, several trips were made from home to hospital to transport the wife of a polio patient to visit her husband. Again this year, Christmas gifts will be presented to patients in the women's and men's medical wards.

A plea was made for used clothing, gifts or toys for the Thrift Shop at 614 Cormorant street, as there is a great demand for these articles at this time.

Mrs. F. G. Aldous moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Frank Skillings for her excellent convenership of the annual bazaar held in November.

Mrs. Keith Dixon advised that the popular hasticotes with the continental recipes are still available and will be placed in stores in the city for further sale.

Festival Offers Chance To Show Creative Flare

Victorians, both men and women, who have a flair for creating attractive Christmas decorations may start enter the Festival of Christmas Decorations to be held in the Empress Hotel Wednesday, Dec. 14 from 2 until 9:30 p.m. Entry classes include mantels, doors, tables, miniature trees made of any material, novelties and a new students' class added this year.

Judging is by popular vote and there are rose bowls and first and second prizes in all classes. The affair is under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the Family and Children's Service. Further information may be obtained from Miss Lola Maxwell, 3-6739, Mrs. W. A. Atherton, 3-2106, or the auxiliary president, Mrs. J. De Bourmer, 4-1226.

A rummage sale will be held in the Public Market on Saturday, Dec. 10. Proceeds will be in aid of the Christmas hamper fund of the Ex-Service Women's Branch of the Canadian Legion.

Mrs. J. Sutherland Elected President Lake Hill W.I.

Annual general meeting of the Lake Hill branch, Women's Institute, was held Monday with the president, Mrs. B. Cowan, in the chair.

A report on the year's work was read by the secretary, Mrs. F. Nuttall, the treasurer's report by Mrs. R. W. Mercer, and annual reports were presented by Miss D. Cox, agriculture; Mrs. H. H. Ward, handicrafts; Dr. M. Sherman, Local Council of Women; Mrs. J. Sutherland, welfare; Mrs. E. Myles, sick visiting; Mrs. E. Glover, hall; and Mrs. F. Nuttall, board of management.

The following slate of officers was elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. J. Sutherland; secretary, Mrs. C. A. Booth; treasurer, Mrs. R. W. Mercer; and directors, Mrs. F. Nuttall and Mrs. E. Myles.

Mrs. W. S. Buchanan was welcomed as a new member.

December social meeting of the branch will take the form of a luncheon meeting, Dec. 19 at 12:30 p.m., in the hall.

CHRISTMAS TEA

At St. Andrew's Church Guild Groups' Christmas tea held recently, Mrs. John L. Clay entertained the ladies with a travelogue of the Scottish Highlands from Glasgow to John o' Groats and Edinburgh. Mrs. Watson thanked Mrs. Clay for her talk.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor poured tea, assisted by members of the various groups and gifts from the Christmas tea were distributed.

Santa Show Tickets Going Fast

Tickets for the Santa Claus Show for Tots Saturday at 1 Saturday 17 are going quickly, states Mrs. Shirley Leland, convener and member of the Junior League to the Searatorium which sponsors the show.

Performances are given at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. at the Royal Theatre by dancing students of Florence Clough.

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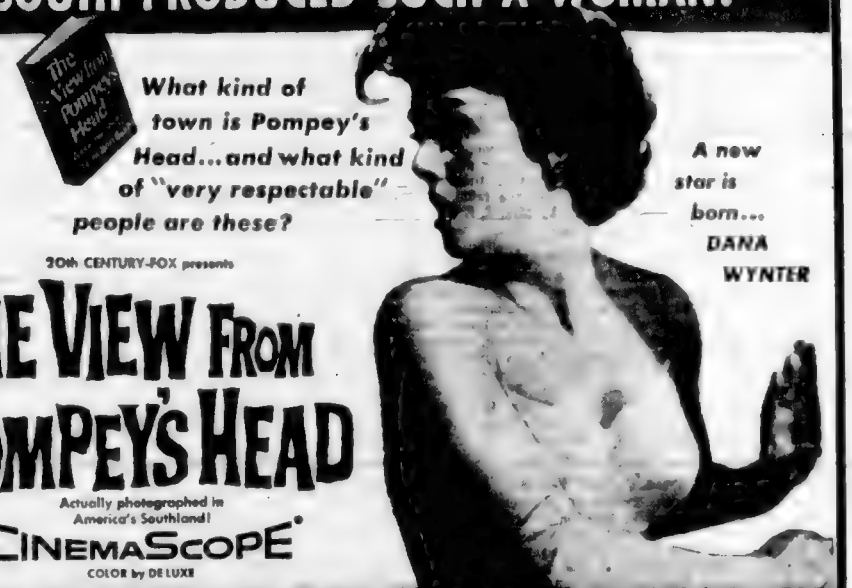

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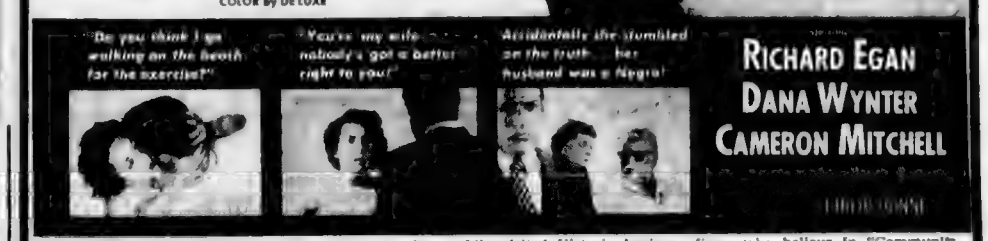

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Australian Election At Soap Box Level

MELBOURNE, Australia (Reuters) — Candidates in Australia's general election returned to street-corner soap boxes and local halls Thursday as a pre-election ban on radio campaigning took effect.

Prime Minister Robert Menzies had a rowdy hostile reception at a meeting in Geelong, 40 miles southwest of here.

"Noise is no substitute for intelligence," Menzies shouted into the radio address system.

"Abuse is no substitute for intelligence, either," a heckler retorted.

Herbert Evatt, leader of the Labor opposition, at a meeting in Sydney attacked the government plan to build homes for troops in Malaya.

"We need homes for people in Australia," he said.

The voters will decide Saturday on candidates for the 124 seats in the House of Representatives and half the 60 seats in the Senate. The outgoing government of the Liberal-Country (conservative) party coalition had a majority of seven in the House of Representatives and two in the Senate.

This Note Sounds Sad Note

BRISTOL, England (Reuters)—When Ernest Stickler, 55, stole a pound note—worth $2.80 — from an office here he had the bad luck to choose one with the serial number "111111."

Because of the distinctive number, the owner had no trouble identifying it when Stickler was arrested, a court was told here Thursday.

Stickler was jailed for a month for the theft.

Youth in Conflict

James Dean and James Backus are shown in a scene from "Rebel Without a Cause," CinemaScope, Warnercolor drama of today's teenagers now at the Royal theatre.

Provincial Farm Ministers Get Nowhere in Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP) — Federal and provincial agriculture ministers ended four days of rather inconclusive deliberations Thursday. They reached no unanimity of views on ways of overcoming Canada's food surplus problem.

Provincial delegates proposed a number of measures. But the only promise Agriculture Minister Gardiner gave them was that the government would give favorable consideration to continuing price supports for butter and eggs and subsidies on western feed grains.

William MacGillivray, BC's deputy agriculture minister, said the present situation on potato imports is nothing short of impossible. BC would not be satisfied until the federal government gives Canadian potato growers the same tariff protection obtained by U.S. growers.

He suggested also that an inquiry be made of the price spread on apples. BC growers would get less than $1.12 a box this year although BC apples were selling at Winnipeg at $4.35 a box.

Massey Plans Arctic Jaunt

OTTAWA (CP) — Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canada's much travelled governor-general, is planning a far-reaching air jaunt — a 10,000-mile Arctic tour that will include a swing around the north pole.

The trip is to take place in mid-March, a time when the south of Canada is beginning to thaw while Arctic winds still rip through frozen wastes held in the grip of 30-below-zero weather.

Bush-Jacket Boss To Push 'Destiny'

LONDON (CP) — David Saul Marshall, Singapore's dynamic "bush-jacket" premier, arrives today to ask Britain into granting independence to what some call southeast Asia's "Island of Destiny."

Marshall, a flamboyant anti-Communist in an area troubled by Red terrorism, became Singapore's chief minister after the island accepted a new constitution and only nine years after it was created a crown colony severed from the nearby Malayan federation.

He comes now as a guest of Britain to plead for self-rule. The week-long talks at the colonial office are merely preliminaries for official discussions in April, yet Marshall hopes to return to Singapore with a promise of full independence.

It will be an ironic visit for the 48-year-old newcomer to politics, who was once turned down for health reasons by London's metropolitan police. He was studying law at the time, a waiter at night and a lecturer on chess at weekends.

Rejected, he returned to Singapore to become a successful criminal lawyer. And then in the April elections he rounded his followers — and perhaps himself — by leading his Labor Front party to a slim victory at the polls.

HISTORIC SHRINE

The shrine of King Edward the Confessor was built in Westminster Abbey at London in 1269.

Dead Moose No Use, No Excuse

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont. (CP) — A dead moose cannot be used as a down payment on a used car, even by a reservation Indian, magistrate W. G. Langdon ruled here.

Howard Stevens of the Garden Indian reserve was fined $100 or two months on a charge of illegally killing a moose. He said he used the meat as a down payment on a used car.

He said previously there was nothing in the Indian Act to prevent his using moose meat for barter.

The car dealer was also fined $200 for illegal possession of the moose.

Esks Fan Wins Post-Cup Gamble

EDMONTON (CP) — Mrs. Victoria Stewart of Edmonton won out against high odds when she went to Vancouver to see the Grey Cup game—and she wasn't betting on the outcome.

When she arrived at her mother's home in Vancouver, Mrs. Stewart tucked her return train stub into an envelope with the football tickets. At Empire Stadium she handed the football tickets to an usher, then absent-mindedly threw away the envelope — which still contained her train stub.

Three days later she remembered what she had done, returned to the stadium and despite the mud and the thousands of similar pieces of paper, Mrs. Stewart found the envelope.

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Daily Astrology

BY RITA DEL MAR

FRIDAY, [illegible]

[illegible] for [illegible] instead as [illegible]

Friday for everyone. This is the day of the New Moon which favors gaining a new point of situations during the next few weeks, be alert for opportunities.

Look for your horoscope and birthright below.

March 21 to April 19 (Aries) Seek advice, watch others accomplish, cooperate. Evening be economical, see others.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus) Improve service, your work, health, buy. Evening seek the views, ideas of others.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini) Promote your talents, gain conference. Evening be for chases, effect savings.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer) Centre things around your face. Evening seek the company of those you admire.

July 23 to Aug. 22 (Leo) Keep busy, gain information, ideas. Evening consider what is under way, be practical.

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo) Daytime promote financial sessions. Evening make decisions, see loved ones, neighbors.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra) Keep busy, see people, care for details. Evening be patient, diplomatic, stay around home base of operations.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio) Be where others can meet you during the daytime. Evening turn attention to some thing worthwhile.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius) Renew, deep relationships, friendships. Evening seek privacy, save problems save.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn) Promote career, [illegible] terests, ambition during the daytime. Evening see old friends, be [illegible]

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius) Plan ahead, [illegible] interests. Evening [illegible] good organize [illegible]

Feb. 19 to March 20 (Pisces) Gain through others, [illegible] assess budget. Evening see old friends, do [illegible]

Planning ahead [illegible] Dec. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 [illegible]

Oak Bay Band [illegible] ration held their [illegible] meeting at the [illegible] secretary Mrs. W. [illegible] Monday evening [illegible] sponsoring the [illegible] play "Hall of [illegible]" on Wednesday, Dec. [illegible]

HISTORIC MISSION

The Moravian [illegible] the Eskimo at Hopedale [illegible] east coast of Labrador [illegible] established in [illegible]

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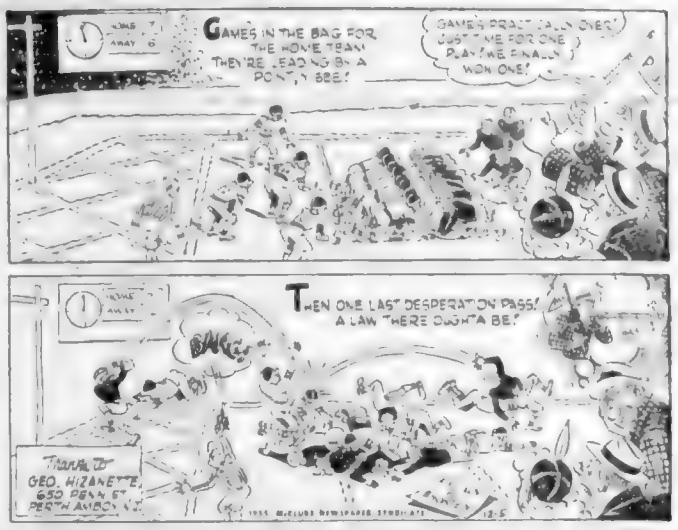

Winning Contract

By Howard Schenken and Richard L. Frey

North-South vulnerable
North dealer

NORTH
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♡ A K 10 9 8 5
◇ A K 7
♣ —

WEST
♠ 4 3
♡ Q 7 6 4
◇ 10 6 3
♣ A J 8 4

EAST
♠ J 5 2
♡ 3
◇ J 5 4
♣ Q 9 6 5 3 2

SOUTH
♠ K Q 9 8
♡ J 2
◇ Q 9 8 2
♣ K 10 7

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
2 ♡	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♡	Pass
5 ♡	Pass	6 N T	Pass
7 ♠	All Pass		

[illegible] Looks to be [illegible]

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The leading strategy [illegible] West against a club lead. [illegible]

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TEA IS SUCCESS

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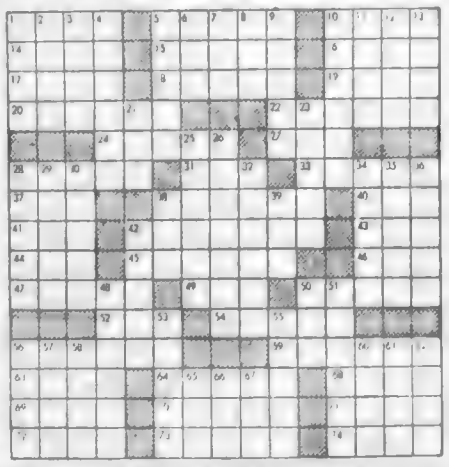
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle . . .



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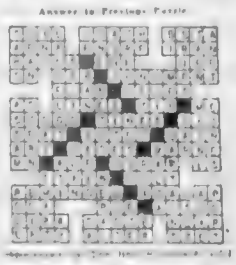
Answer to Previous Puzzle



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Possible winners of the $1,250 legacy of the late Thomas Foster is the family of Mrs. and Mrs. John King. Foster left a cash bequest for the Toronto family that had the most children in 10 years. First prize is $1,250, second $800 and third $450. There are seven children of six and under in the King family.—(CPC)

Ottawa Considers Stiffer Drug Laws

OTTAWA (CP) — Stiffer anti-narcotic laws, designed to help put the illicit drug trafficker out of business in Canada, may be brought forward by the government at the new session of Parliament.

An informant said Thursday recommendations of the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act Advisory Committee, based on recommendations of a Senate committee which made a two month investigation of the drug problem, now are under study by federal departmental heads.

Health Minister Martin, whose department administers enforcement of the anti-drug laws through the RCMP, will consider the recommendations on his return early this month from the United Nations in New York.

MAY STIFFEN PENALTIES

If he approves, the proposed revisions will be put before cabinet for possible inclusion in the legislative program the government will bring forward at the new session, opening Jan. 10.

The spokesman said it could be expected that the proposed revisions would be mainly concerned with stiffening the penalties for illegal trafficking in drugs. They would be along the lines of the recommendations of the Senate committee but might not go so far as some of the Senate committee's recommendations for compulsory lengthy minimum sentences for traffickers, with a possible maximum of life imprisonment. At present the law provides a six-month minimum and seven-year maximum for illegal possession of drugs, while possession for trafficking carries a maximum penalty of 14 years with no set minimum.

COASTAL ISLAND

Gabriola Island between Vancouver Island and the B.C. mainland is 17 miles long with maximum width of three miles.

Pupils Excused for Play

If parents ask to have children excused from school this afternoon to attend a Passion Play matinee, the children will be excused, municipal school inspector John Gough said yesterday.

The children who are going to the play will be released about 2 p.m., Mr. Gough said.

Last week, school board chairman W. P. Young said children would not be excused to attend the matinee.

Mr. Gough said yesterday that the school board's stand had not been reversed, that children could not be detained against their parents' wishes.

"We are not subscribing to the idea and are trying to deter pupils from taking time off from school," he said.

PINK SONGSTER

The rose-breasted grosbeak, one of the best songster birds in eastern Canada, is smaller than a robin.

Youth on Bond

Break-In, Stealing Leads to Probation

Eighteen-year-old Vernon M. [illegible] sentence was delayed until Rithule, 4-B. [illegible] was given Dec. 5. Court heard that the one year's probation by Stipendiary [illegible] covers the months [illegible] for a breakin of April, June, July, August and theft of $20 worth of car. September and October [illegible] from a home. Crown counsel Ian Hunter said [illegible]

Rithule, who pleaded guilty, [illegible] gested that since the company was paid [illegible] $400 bond. With [illegible] without assets, sentence be [illegible] suspended.

But he suggested Wasenam be fined and ordered to pay the tax.

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William R. Tapp, 1600 Derby, and Joan M. Lane, 1042 Southgate, were fined $35 each on careless driving charges in city court. Tapp's drivers licence was suspended.

Richard Noakes, 241 Simcoe, was fined $10 for failing to notify the motor vehicle branch of a change of address.

William R. Webb, 2077 Carnarvon, was fined $10 for an inadequate muffler.

SECRET CHAMBER

In ancient temples the "adytum" was the innermost room which priests only were allowed to enter.

JOINT MONARCHS

William III and Mary II reigned as joint British monarchs from 1689, Mary dying in 1694 and William in 1702.

Wilfred L. Funk, 3827 Carey, was fined $35 for carless driving Nov. 27 at Douglas and the Island highway.

He stopped at a Douglas street traffic sign and pulled into the highway in the mistaken belief merging traffic there also was required to stop. He was involved in a collision.

Funk said that since the new Douglas street bridge opened the traffic sign formerly on the highway has been removed and placed on Douglas street.

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Donald A. Jordan, RCN, was fined $25 for driving without a licence.

Richard Patton, RCN, was fined $25 for driving without a licence and $10 for driving without headlights after dark.

Spooner Singh, 3210 Bellevue, was fined $10 for hiring an unlicensed chauffeur.

Roy Davis, 1220 Belmont, was fined $10 for driving without a chauffeur's licence, and Charles A. Cowie, 1220 Belmont, was fined a similar amount for hiring an unlicensed chauffeur.

Peter A. Nish, Ardmore drive, Sidney, paced at 75 in a 50 mile an hour zone on Patricia Bay highway, was fined $15.

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Newport Motors Ltd. and manager Frank Wasenam pleaded guilty in city court yesterday to failure to pay $1,778.93 in provincial sales tax.

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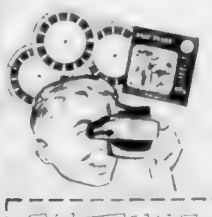

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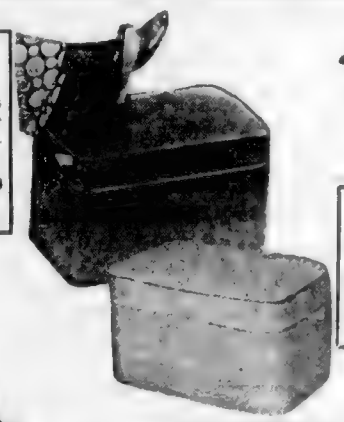

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8:15 Breakfast Show	News, Sports, Dave Hill	News, Weather, Morning Music	News, Weather, David Vaile, Make Up Your Mind, Howard Miller	News, Weather, Dial 1000	News, Time n Tunes, Billy Browne	News, Sports, Clockwatcher
8:45 Breakfast Show	News, Lombardo Guy Lombardo	Kiwi Instrumentals	Women's Warren, Backstage Wife, Helen Trent, News	Dial 1000	Sunt Browne	News Birthday, Piano Moods
9:15 Dr. Paul, 9:30 Book of Memories, 9:45 Who Am I?	News, Cash Clues, Cash Clues, Cash Clues	Morning Concert, Music Concert	Road of Life, Ma Perkins, Dr. Malone, Building Light	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	Top Tune Time, Queen Mirabelle	Maple Leaf Junction, Mr Linton
10:00 News, Six-for-One, 10:15 Six-for-One, 10:30 March Time, 10:45 Let's Go to Ratoola	New Law of Nature, Maple Leaf Junction, Young A Star Grows	Kate Aitken, Music and The Stars, Music and His Music	Second Mrs Burton, Perry Mason, Nora Drake, Aunt Mary	Weather, Weather, Weather, Mr McNiece N Peay	Homemakers Show, Christian Service, Christian Service	News, Hits, Today's Hits, Today's Hits, Mid-Day
11:00 News, Wally's Mind, 11:15 Tasmania, 11:30 Tempo, 11:45 Birthday	News, Hit Parade	Music and His Music, CBC News Showcase, 55 Housepartly	Cheerioberry News	Pauline Frederick	News, Matinee, Kaddo Kennedy, Rhythm Pals	News, Wally, Young Widow Brown, Perry Mason, Guiding Light
12:00 News, Weather, 12:15 Preciandra Lunch, 12:45 Luncheon Singing	Hymns of Man, Music	Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey	Right to Happiness, Young Dr Malone, Young Widow Brown, Pepper Young	Home of Mac, Home of Mac, Home of Mac	News Daydreams, Ma Perkins, Road of Life, Kate Aitken	
1:00 News, Fifty a Day, 1:15 Aunt Mary, 1:30 It's My Day, 1:45 Top Tune Time	News, Kate Show, Juke Box Show, Juke Box Show	Afternoon Concert, Afternoon Concert, Afternoon Concert, Afternoon Concert	Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey, Arthur Godfrey	Woman in My House, Claude Rains, Portia, Weather	Take It Easy, Take It Easy, Take It Easy, Take It Easy	Red White and Blue, Red White and Blue, Passing Parade, Who Am I
2:00 News, Six for One, 2:15 Six for One, 2:30 Billy O'Connor, 2:45 Three Suns	News, Juke Box, Juke Box Show	Music Canada, Music Canada, Music Canada, Music Canada	Ruth Alexander, Music	Weather, Weather, Hour of Decision, Dial 1000	Take It Easy, Take It Easy, Take It Easy, Take It Easy	News Nine, Neighbor Nine, Housepartly, Musical Variety
3:00 Calling the Island, 3:15 Calling the Island, 3:30 Calling the Island, 3:45 Calling the Island	News, Bridge Show, Bridge Show, Bridge Show, Bridge Show	Trans Canada, Music, Music, Music	Bible Broker, Time Out, Prescott to Leaside	Hour of Decision, Dial 1000	Take It Easy, Housepartly, Musical Variety	News Starting, Starting, Starting, Starting
4:00 Prince Clubhouse, 4:15 Prince Clubhouse, 4:30 Meet the Navy, 4:45 Meet the Navy	News, Prince Show, Prince Show, Prince Show	Music, Music, Music, Music	Prince of Peace, Housewives Inc, Housewives Inc, Bob Smith	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	Theme for Teens, Theme for Teens, Pass Listening	Starting, Starting, Starting
5:00 News, Hit Parade, 5:15 Hit Parade, 5:30 Tennessee Ernie, 5:45 News, Sports	News, The Sheriff, The Sheriff, The Sheriff, The sheriff	Trans Canada Express, Music, Music, Music	Richard H Morton, Music, Music, Music	Dial 1000, Rock Market	Easy Listening, Easy Listening, Easy Listening, Easy Listening, News	News Travel, Little Travel Music, Little Travel Music, Little Travel Music
6:00 Dateline, 6:15 Theatre, 6:30 News, 6:45 Quiz Club	News, Sports, Milestones of Melody, News, Milestones, Milestones of Melody	Music, Music, Music, Music	Music, Music, Music, Music, News	Music, Music, Music, Music	Nightcap, Nightcap, Nightcap, Nightcap	News Sport Desk, News Review, News Bulletin, News Review
7:00 Quiz Club, 7:15 Quiz Club, 7:30 Talent Parade, 7:45 Talent Parade	News, Leah Clues, Leah Clues, Vera Lynn, Vera Lynn	CBC News, Trans Canada Summer	Jack Paar Show, Jack Paar Show, Music, Music	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	Pass Listening, Pass Listening, Pass Listening, Pass Listening	News Weather, Mr Barrister, Shorts Parade, Shorts Parade
8:00 News, Weather, 8:15 Chestnut Dreams, 8:30 Agatha Christie, 8:45 Agatha Christie	News, Outdoors, Barn Dance, Barn Dance, Barn Dance	Toronto Symphony, Music, Music, Music	Johnny Dollar, Music, Music, Music	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	News, City Mike, Fair Question, Music, Public Prosecutor, Public Prosecutor	News, Sports, Bridge Center, Bridge Center
9:00 Agatha Christie, 9:15 Agatha Christie, 9:30 Mystery, 9:45 Mystery	News, Weather, Music, Music, Music, Music	Sports Report, Sports Page, Sports Page, Sports Page	Soap Box, Music, Music, Music	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	Take It From Here, Take It From Here, Music Show, Waters Show	News, Hockey, Hockey, Hockey, Hockey
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11:00 Memory Lane, 11:15 Memory Lane, 11:30 Memory Lane, 11:45 Memory Lane	News, Legislative, House Party, House Party, Midnight Concert	Music, Music, Music, Music	Dance Time, Dance Time, Dance Time, Dance Time	Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000, Dial 1000	News, Bill Ward's Doghouse, Bill Ward's Doghouse, Bill Ward's Doghouse	News Sports, Dave Will Box, Dave Will Box, Dave Will Box

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Tenders must be submitted on the Form of Tender supplied by the Department and enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the Chairman, Purchasing Commission, 521 Superior Street, Victoria, B.C., or 4 Bastion Square, Vancouver, B.C., bearing the tender number and the opening date. Specifications may also be inspected at either of the above addresses.
A certificate of a chartered bank in the amount of $[illegible] or a certified cheque of a Chartered Bank in Canada made payable to the order of the Minister of Finance will be required to be deposited with the bid of the lowest tender.
Tenders made on forms other than those supplied will not be accepted nor considered.
No tender containing an escalator clause or any other qualifying clause whatsoever will be accepted, and no tender will be accepted unless signature is witnessed.
Tenders will be opened in public at noon January [illegible] 1956 at the Office of the Purchasing Commission, 521 Superior Street, Victoria, B.C.
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December 3, 1955

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WATSON SMYTHE HALL, deceased, formerly of 287 View Royal Avenue in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Executor at 1205 Bayerson Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 1st day of January, 1956, after which date the Executor will distribute the said Estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.
THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Executor
By McILREE & McINTYRE
Its Solicitors
DATED December 6th, 1955

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SAANICH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
Saturday, December 10, 1955
POLLS OPEN 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

There are thirteen Polling Stations provided and voters may vote at any one of the polling stations. No person shall vote at more than one polling station under any circumstances, nor shall any person who has already voted at any polling station vote at more than one polling station, under a heavy penalty for voting more than once.

Polling stations will be open at the following places:
Cedar Hill School, Cedar Hill Cross Road.
Lansdowne Jr. High School, Tolmie School, Boleskine Road.
Cloverdale School, Quadra Street.
Gordon Head School, Tyndall Avenue.
Carlton Bar Room Hall, Penrice Street.
Marigold Rest Hall, Marigold Road.
[illegible] Douglas Street.
Royal Oak High School, West Saanich Road.
McMorran's Pavilion, Cordova Bay Road.
Discovery Lake Room, West Saanich Road.
[illegible] Arena, Arena Street.
St. Martin's in the Fields Hall, Queen Anne Avenue.

Information regarding the voters' list may be obtained by telephone at the Municipal Hall, 9-4211. All persons must be marked with a cross. Any ballot improperly marked will not be tabulated.
[illegible] R. TRIPP
Returning Officer

TENDERS
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Tenders marked tender addressed to [illegible] will be received by the undersigned up to 1 p.m. Saturday, December 17, 1955, for the construction of [illegible] in addition with platforms to the existing warehouse at corner V. & R. Keating X Road, Central Saanich. Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of the secretary, Keating X Road R.R. No. 1, Saanichton.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated at R.R. No. 1, Saanichton, December 1, 1955.
Saanich Fire District [illegible]
C. W. MOLLARD, Secretary

Tie of Patriot

Ties that carry a hand painted profile of Sultan Mohammed Ben Youssef, who was recently restored to his throne at Rabat, French Morocco, are being worn by patriotic young Nationalists. Here a young Moroccan, garbed in western clothes, is shown wearing one. (CPC)

No 'Snap' By-Election Says Angry Premier

Premier W. A. C. Bennett yesterday charged opposition party leaders with "the biggest about face in B.C.'s political history" for their criticism of the snap by-election in Vancouver Centre.

"On Monday they publicly announced in a Vancouver paper that they were ready for an election whenever we called it," Premier Bennett said. "And on Tuesday, when we did announce it, they were aghast."

The premier lashed out at Liberal leader Arthur Laing "who is noted for his unfair statements."

Reason for the by-election being called before the Jan. 17 opening of the legislature was blamed on the Liberal chieftain.

"Mr. Laing was the one who accused Mr. Speaker of the vacancy and asked for an early election," Premier Bennett said heatedly. "Well what's the use of having an early by-election if it isn't early enough to have Vancouver Centre represented in the second session of the legislature?"

He asked whether the leaders of the various parties would keep the large constituency vacant for partisanship.

QUITE FAIR

At the same time Premier Bennett said he considered a statement by Leader of the Opposition Arnold Webster was quite fair.

Mr. Webster told The Daily Colonist Monday that the by-election "is a surprise but the riding should be represented."

Asked by reporters to reconcile his original statement that he wouldn't think of calling an election before the session, the premier said:

"These people wanted a by-election and we've given them one. What's-his-name's coming over here and asking for an election changed the whole issue."

The Social Credit movement had no advance notice that the election would be held before the opening of the legislature, the premier continued.

Communist Brief

Five Firms Hold B.C.'s Best Timber

VANCOUVER (CP) — Five big corporations—three of them American-owned—have been accused of controlling British Columbia's richest timber areas through specialism in forest management licences.

The charge was contained in a brief presented to Chief Justice Gordon Sloan's royal commission of forestry by Nigel Morgan, provincial leader of the Labor-Progressive (Communist) party.

Mr. Morgan said speculation had given three U. S. concerns nearly 50 per cent of all public forest lands in B. C. granted under the management licences.

He said the three — Crown Zellerbach and Rayonier, Columbia Cellulose and Celgar, and Powell River Company — had acquired 2,356,519 of 4,843,578 acres of forest land awarded.

Mr. Morgan also charged in the 30-page brief that another 721,330 acres are held by the Canadian-U.S. monopoly of MacMillan and Bloedel under management licences, bringing to 3,077,849 the acreage under outright control of U.S. or Canadian-U.S. companies.

The brief urged a new forest policy to embrace public control of timberland.

Death Takes Holiday

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Caryl Chessman, brilliant convict author of San Quentin prison's death row, came to federal court in irons Thursday to hear his long sought habeas corpus hearing set for Jan. 9.

Chessman, who was sentenced to death for kidnapping and rape in Los Angeles seven years ago, was enjoying his first day away from the shadow of the gas chamber in 3½ years.

Dressed in neat sports clothes, the celebrated defendant listened intently and unsmiling as his attorneys pleaded for as much time as possible to prepare the arguments that may give him a new trial and a chance to escape the executioner.

His leg shackles and handcuffs were removed before he entered the courtroom, but he remained within arm's reach of the San Quentin guards.

He won worldwide attention and widespread literary acclaim for his prison-written autobiography, "Cell 2455 Death Row" and his novel, "Trial By Ordeal."

The hearing on a new trial was ordered by the U.S. supreme court.

Against Missions

New Religion Born In Old Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, Israeli Sector (NANA) — Five thousand years after cradling three of the world's most powerful religions, the historic city is witnessing the birth of a fourth that may succeed in healing the sharpest theological rift of all time.

It goes under the unlikely name of Hebrew-Christianity and its adherents have undertaken a task no one has dared approach since Jesus marched from Galilee.

For more than a year now, this tiny flock of 300 religious pioneers have been blazing a path they hope may one day link the ancient precepts of traditional Judaism to the New Testament teachings of Christ.

While they consider themselves "complete Jews," the Hebrew-Christians, as they are known here, belong to no organized synagogue. Their attempts to graft a belief in a Messianic Jesus to the Old Testament by borrowing liberally from both Catholicism and Protestantism have resulted in complete ostracism and virtual ex-communication by the powerful Grand Rabbinate in this country.

ROUGH PATH

The tolerance of all forms of worship professed by the Israeli government has not had any notable effect in smoothing the path of adverse public opinion the new converts have had to hurdle.

Classed in the same "suspicious" category as Catholic and Protestant missionaries, the Hebrew-Christians have drawn a cloak of obscurity around their activities. Their meetings are held in secret and although their membership list is said to include some of the most prominent figures in Israel, it has never been made public.

Israel's tiny Hebrew-Christian congregation is led by German-born Jewish immigrants Dr. Fritz Kahn and Pastor Max Anker. Kahn, who emigrated to Palestine in 1939, is married to the daughter of one of Jerusalem's most eminent rabbinical families. Though employed at a Jaffa missionary health clinic, Dr. Kahn sees the missionaries as an impassable obstacle preventing the wider dissemination of Hebrew-Christian doctrine in the Holy Land.

"As long as a mission exists in this country," he declared in an interview, "our teachings will never bear fruit."

Town Crier's Bell Churchill Award

LONDON (CP)—Sir Winston Churchill Wednesday night received the first Williamsburg award, a silver town crier's bell and $10,000, as a tribute to his wartime leadership in the free world.

The award was made by the trustees of Williamsburg, the restored 18th century capital of the British colony of Virginia, for Churchill's "outstanding achievements in advancing the basic principles of liberty and justice."

Fingering the bell, a symbol of the defence of liberty, Churchill told a distinguished audience following one of Britain's most lavish post-war dinners in historic Draper's hall: "Its silver tone is gentle. I shall ring it whenever I feel there is duty to be done."

Then sticking a big cigar in his mouth, he grasped the bell in his right hand and marched off. As he reached the broad door of the dining room he halted, turned to the other diners, beamed impishly and clanged the bell violently. He then marched the crowd to the bar ringing all the way.

Former prime minister Clement Attlee, who gave up leadership of the Labor party earlier in the day, was one of the first to join Churchill in the bar.

"Well, Clem," said Churchill, as he dangled the bell in one hand, "are you happy now? Thank God you had sense enough to resign. You won't regret it."

"This is the first time in the last 32 years that I feel completely irresponsible," Attlee replied.

President Eisenhower sent a message read by Winthrop Rockefeller, chairman of the Williamsburg board of trustees, in which he said it was most fitting that the first award should go to Churchill.

Aged Doctor Cycles To Beat Driving Ban

MARKHAM, Ont. (CP) — Markham's oldest physician, Dr. Arthur Hore, has switched to a bicycle since his licence to drive a car was cancelled two months ago.

Dr. Hore, 81, said he may be too old to drive a car but he can ride a bicycle as well as any high school boy.

COMMON AILMENT

Arthritis is the general name for a group of about 100 different rheumatic diseases of the joints.

Canada Wheat Exports Lag

WINNIPEG (CP) — Canada's wheat exports during October, 14,500,000 bushels, were 700,000 below September wheat clearances and 6,400,000 short of the export total for October of last year, the board of grain commissioners reported Thursday.

Accumulative exports for the first three months of this grain year dropped further behind last year's total — 49,900,000 bushels to Oct. 31 this year compared to 62,700,000 during the same period in the 1954-55 season.

Poppy Fund Take $500 in Langford

LANGFORD — George MacGregor, chairman of this year's poppy campaign by the Prince Edward branch of the Canadian Legion, reports that some $500 was realized from sales in this district.

The Legion building committee members plan to work every Tuesday and Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m. until Dec. 22 to complete general work on the hall on Dunford road.

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Tourist Executive

John Fisher, native of Sackville N.S., is the new executive director of the Canadian Tourist Association. The position will take him all over Canada and the U.S. as representative of the Allied Tourist and Travel Industries of Canada. (CPO)

A PADRE IN PRINT

By REV. WILLIAM HILLS

Saint Nikolaus, Santa Klaas, Father Christmas, Pere Noel, Krist Kindlein—these are some of the names the fat, merry gentleman with white whiskers and crimson suit uses as he visits different parts of the world.

I'm sorry that he has become a bone of contention.

To certain jewel christs he has become a threat to their health.

To the pious he tends to stand as the symbol of the class commercialization of a religious festival. He has even been dubbed "pagan."

But I don't think I've ever heard him called a nasty name.

Mind you the young father bereft of his patience and burdened with his youngsters, came mighty close to it.

We were both struggling through the crowds in the main aisles of one of our department stores. We were going in opposite directions.

The inevitable happened. We crashed into one another. I tell you that ships going by Ripple Rock had a better passage than these human beings bent on Christmas shopping.

"Sorry, padre," he said "but this is a damned nuisance!"

No Time for Talk

There was no time for pleasantries for my umbrella was running interference with an aggressive customer's shopping bag and so we were torn apart.

Thus I never did find out whether parsons on his eyes were nuisances "but surely not damned" or whether he considered the whole frenetic scene an abuse of the spirit of goodwill.

I think he must have been a seafaring man for he was wearing a burberry and his kitbag clung to him.

Tom Taylor says that it is the month of the times which makes us anticipate Christmas so far in advance.

I dare say he is right but surely we can do something tangible about it.

Santa Claus commemorates the life and legend of St. Nicholas who lived in the fourth century of the Christian era as Bishop of Myra.

He survived the Diocletian persecutions and was restored to his See when Constantine "proclaimed an imperial toleration of all religions."

His day in the Christian calendar is Dec. 6.

Now this is the suggestion I have to offer to the Chamber of Commerce. Next year keep Santa Claus out of town until St. Nicholas day comes around.

Leave the Victoria we love to him as a private which will pay Vancouver's Grey Cup effort in the shade. Our children deserve this tribute from the grown-ups. Let's make Christmas their joy.

Capone Aide Killed

CHICAGO (AP) — Alex Louis Greenberg, reputed financial brain of the old Capone syndicate, was shot to death in gangland style on the south side Thursday night.

His wife Pearl said she and Greenberg had just walked out of a restaurant when two men walked up to her husband and opened fire.

Greenberg was pronounced dead a few minutes later at a hospital where doctors said a quick examination disclosed two bullet wounds—one in the left side of the head and another in the chest.

Mrs. Greenberg told police the assassins escaped on foot. She did not immediately describe them.

Greenberg, 64, president of the Canadian Ace Brewing Company of Chicago, was the third Al Capone era figure to be slain within 18 months. Charles (Cherry Nose) Gioe was shot to death Aug. 18, 1954. Five days later Frank Maritote, alias Frank Diamond, was killed by a shotgun blast.

LINKED WITH GANG

Greenberg, whose admitted connection with the brewing firm dates back to 1922, had only minor skirmishes with the law during prohibition.

But in 1949, when he unsuccessfully sought a licence to sell Canadian Ace in New York, the New York liquor authority said Greenberg "was notoriously connected with the old Capone gang."

Testifying before a congressional subcommittee in 1948, Greenberg admitted knowing members of the Capone mob for "many years."

The committee was investigating the circumstances surrounding the parole of Gioe, Louis Campagna, Paul Delucia and Phil d'Andrea.

Vancouver Ignores Safety Day

Hustling, bustling Vancouver was the only centre in the province which failed to take notice of the continent wide Safe Driving Day at the beginning of the month.

Superintendent of Motor Vehicles George Lindsay said yesterday the project was a success in B.C. with 87 of the 112 districts reporting entirely accident free.

The remaining 25 acres recorded 69 accidents which resulted in 13 injuries but no fatalities.

Average daily accident rate at this time of the year was said to be 80, with 25 injuries and one fatality.

"The most unfortunate result was in Vancouver where 28 accidents and nine injuries, all to pedestrians, were recorded," said Mr. Lindsay.

There were eight accidents—six in Victoria and two in Saanich—in the Greater Victoria area but no injuries.

"The effort may be summed up as a success," said Mr. Lindsay. "But its real success will only be evident if the good habits so obviously displayed on S.D. day are continued."

Sibelius, 90, Shruggs Off His Birthday

HELSINKI, Finland (UP) — Jean Sibelius, one of the greatest composers of modern times, was 90 years old yesterday. The world's music lovers celebrated his birthday but he did not.

Sibelius likes no fanfare. "I am nothing myself," he was reported to have said. "It is my music. They have my music so why should I appear myself?"

He said he would spend the day as he has spent past birthdays, following his regular routine of reading, playing the piano and listening to music on his radio.

Jury's Verdict

Fatal Nanaimo Crash Blamed on Weather

NANAIMO, B.C. (CP) — A verdict of accidental death was returned here Wednesday night by a coroner's jury investigating the highway death Nov. 17 of Victor D. Blakely, 38, of Vancouver.

Adverse weather and dangerous road conditions were blamed for the fatal collision which occurred near Parksville.

Charles B. Edington of Alberni, driver of the death car, testified that he, Blakely and two other men were en route to Parksville when their car swerved to the left on a curve.

"I then saw this truck ahead," Edington said. "It was facing me and appeared to be stopped. While I was trying to get the car between the truck and the guard rail it (the car) slipped to the left again.

"He said that was the last he remembered until "I picked my self off the road."

Robert D. Allen, a boat operator for B.C. Dredge Co., said: "We went past the truck and I thought he (Edington) had cleared it. Then there was an awful bang. The next thing I knew I was in the car and there was no one else in it."

The other passenger was Francis O. Dorothy, a deckhand for B.C. Dredge. Driver of the panel truck was Carl O'Connor, 17, a CPR employee, who said the rear of the auto swung around, smashing a front fender of the truck as it went past.

Seeks Full Status

NEW DELHI (AP) — David Marshall, chief minister of Singapore, said here that his city state wants ultimately to attain the full status of a sovereign member of the British Commonwealth.

Marshall said he was not asking for complete independence at present, and would be content if foreign affairs and defence remained in the hands of the British.

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Cowichan Council Boosts Own Salaries As First Act After Acclamation Election

NORTH COWICHAN — Salaries and expenses of the reeve and councillors of this municipality were increased substantially by council at a meeting Wednesday.

The increases are effective Jan. 1.

Reeve C. A. P. Morison was re-elected by acclamation as [illegible] and D. C. Moller.

Reeve Morison now receives $750 a year salary and $300 expenses, a total of $800. On Jan. 1 his salary will become $800 and his expenses $100.

Councillors now receive $250 a year salary and $100 expenses. From Jan. 1 they will receive $280 a year and $120 expenses.

The council is also considering an increase in the number of councillors from four to six. This can only be done with consent of the ratepayers and it is likely that a by-law will be voted on in the new year.

Reason given for the increase in salaries and expenses and for the possible increase in council members is the growing amount of work done by the municipal council, expecting municipality.

An application has been received from the new pump ratepayers for supply of water. [illegible] estimate of the cost of providing these facilities is $2[illegible].

A plebiscite to be put to the ratepayers Saturday will provide the answer to the water problem if the by-law passes.

Reeve Morison said his [illegible] for three new [illegible] Beaver Point and Moose Heath making provision for more than 75 new homes.

Fire chiefs of the municipality will be authorized to enforce regulations requiring permits before new installations can be started by oil companies. The regulations is necessary to ensure that oil storage tanks are located in safe locations.

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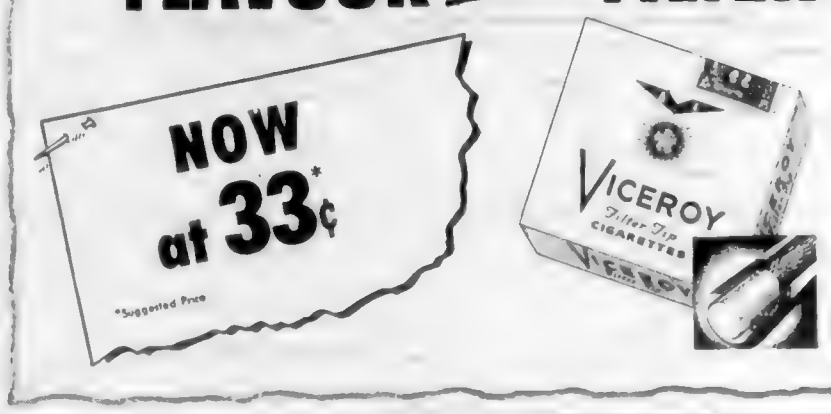

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Around the Island

Salt Spring Hotel Gutted; Damage $35,000

GANGES—Three persons fled to safety in their night clothes early yesterday when fire destroyed the Fulford Inn on Salt Spring Island, resulting in damage estimated at $35,000.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nicholson and their 16-year-old daughter, only occupants of the building, escaped injury.

Fire started at 1 a.m. in the furnace room of the frame and stucco building.

Mr. Nicholson said he might have held the flames back had there been water pressure. By the time Salt Spring island volunteer firemen arrived the fire was well advanced.

Firemen fought the blaze for three hours, but only a large stock of beer and furniture from the bar was saved.

The Nicholsons bought the two-storey building about six months ago. There were six rooms for guests in addition to the owners' suite.

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LADYSMITH—Lions Club of Ladysmith sponsored a turkey and ham shoot at the indoor rifle range in Agricultural hall, with Pat Ryan in charge.

First bird was won by Dr. A. T. Verchere. He and his son Bill won both a turkey and a ham.

Other winners were: turkeys — Tom Bertram, Pat Ryan, William Brown, Sr., and J. Drein of Chemainus; hams — Len Jamison, Jack Thompson and Frank Crucil.

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PARKSVILLE — "Fun for all the family" is the slogan for the Fun Fair being held by Parksville PTA at the junior high school today at 7.30 p.m.

Highlight of the event will be a novel fashion show with an unusual theme. There will be an art display, excellent films, a puppet show, fish pond for the kiddies and stalls offering items for sale. A door prize will be awarded as an added attraction.

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CUMBERLAND — Funeral services were held Wednesday for Mrs. Laura Henrietta Campbell, 91, a resident of Cumberland since 1898.

Surviving are three sons, David and John of Cumberland, Earl of San Francisco. One grandson, David, Jr., in Cumberland, four other grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Rev. Peter Connat officiated at the service.

Drama School Beneficial

PARKSVILLE—More than 20 drama enthusiasts from Parksville, Qualicum Beach, Coombs and Errington took advantage of instructive sessions at a workshop conducted by Sidney Risk of Vancouver, well-known drama adjudicator, actor and teacher of dramatic art.

Relationship between actor and director was the theme of the workshop and Mr. Risk gave a demonstration of play direction by using a play being rehearsed by one of the drama groups.

The workshop was held at the Island Hall Hotel playhouse and was sponsored by Parksville Players. Mrs. Pat Smith was in charge of registrations.

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COURTENAY—Legal formalities in the making of a by-law to cover acceptance of the Senior Citizens' Home by the city have resulted in delay in setting an opening date.

It is now expected the home will be opened early in the new year. The staff has already been hired and donations of food are being accepted to fill the freezer.

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LADYSMITH — Ladysmith Kinsmen Club is sponsoring a turkey shoot on two successive Sundays—Dec. 11 and 18—at the gravel pit opposite Twin Firs Park on Island highway north at 12 noon.

Committee includes Herb McKeen, chairman, Gordon Peach and Douglas Matson.

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COURTENAY — Officials who looked after the Red Cross blood clinic held here recently expressed disappointment at the results. Donations in Courtenay were 287 pints and the airport contributed 210 pints, a total of 497 pints in all. This is one pint less than in 1953. Last year no clinic was held owing to the prevalence of infectious jaundice.

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PARKSVILLE—Final meeting of the year will be held by Parksville and District Chamber of Commerce Monday at 8 p.m. at the Island Hall hotel.

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LADYSMITH — Reports on district hunting will be heard at the Ladysmith Fish and Game Club meeting Thursday.

Ship Calendar

NAVAL MOVEMENTS

The navy last night announced the following movements of HM ships:

Porte Quebec, returns to Esquimalt Saturday from Survey trip.

Brockville, leaves Esquimalt today for reserve cruise to Seattle, returning Dec. 11.

Digby, leaving today on reserve training cruise to Seattle, returning Dec. 12.

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New Mayors

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Island Centres Elect Civic Leaders

Electors of seven Vancouver Island cities and villages went to the polls yesterday to elect new mayors, aldermen and commissioners to handle the affairs of their communities during the coming year.

Six other island communities last week put full slates of officials in office by acclamation.

Elected mayor of Duncan was J. T. Dobson, Duncan business man and veteran of four years on the city council.

He defeated George Highmoor by a 355-245 margin.

Mr. Highmoor, like mayor-elect Dobson, is completing a two-year term on the Duncan council this month.

Mr. Dobson will succeed Mayor J. C. Wragg, who retires this year after eight years in office.

Elected to the Duncan council for two-year terms were two newcomers to civic office, J. J. Kerrone, with 478 votes, and Stephen H. Saunders, with 365.

Unsuccessful candidates were Martin Braten, 269; William Spencer, 182.

John Horner was named Duncan representative of the school board of District 65 last week by acclamation.

In Nanaimo, Earle C. Westwood defeated Mayor George Muir by a whopping 2,130 to 1,047 margin.

Mayor-elect Westwood is a former Nanaimo mayor who retired three years ago.

The following were elected to Nanaimo city council: Ald. William McGregor, 1,439; Ald. Haig Burns, 1,277 and John Cook, 1,152.

Trailing were Ald. R. E. Fawdry, 992; Ron MacIssac, 935; Joe Sutton, 704; Allen Hoklinson, 324; Ernest Knott, 447.

District 68 school board (results complete)—Trustee Mrs. Marion Ricker, 1,882; Nat Martin, 1,666, (both elected); Trustee John Souchuk, 1,503; Leo LePas, 879.

Money by-law sanctioning sale of Nanaimo car barns appeared headed for passage on incomplete returns, with 1,862 yes and 1,101 no ballots cast. The by-law requires three-fifth majority to pass.

Following is a summary of election returns in other Vancouver Island centres, with incumbents marked (x):

PORT ALBERNI

Mayor—Loran K. Jordon (x), acclamation.

Aldermen (three elected)—Fred Weaver (x), 887; Norman Odgers (x), 760; W. C. Hamilton (x), 663, all elected; Alec N. Gilfillan, 591; George McKnight, 370; A. D. Plant, 306; Nathan Shaw, 135.

School board (two to be elected)—No nominations.

CAMPBELL RIVER

Commissioners (three elected): J. W. Balkie (x), 519; Stanley Jenson, 454; Carl O. Thulin (x), 263, all elected; Sidney Waterfield (x), 244; Joseph Bundy, 217; Barnard Box, 148; Daniel Holt, 90; George Peters, 66.

PARKSVILLE

Commissioners (two elected): H. J. Parsley (x), 202; Frank Shortreid, 201, both elected; George T. Dodds, 140; R. L. Bergstrom, 129; David C. King, 96; W. F. E. Morrison, 21.

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Commissioners (two elected)—J. Craig Reid, 170; Frank C. Morgan (x), 134, both elected; Murray A. Cree, 85.

Results of voting for mayor and aldermen at Courtenay were not announced by the returning officer last night.

Gulf islands residents, according to unofficial returns, rejected a money by-law which would have provided for a new $272,485 hospital at Ganges to replace the 41-year-old Lady Minto hospital.

A total of 479 yes and 347 no ballots was cast.

The by-law required a two-thirds majority to pass, which in this case would have been some 550 affirmative votes.

Acclamation results in other Island centres, with incumbents marked (x).

NORTH COWICHAN

Reeve—C. A. P. Murison (x).

Councillors (two elected)—Coun. Donald C. Morton (x), Coun. W. H. McCondach (x).

District 67 school board—A. E. Beasley (x).

District 65 school board (one to be elected, results not available until Saturday)—Vincent A. Brookbank, Mrs. D. A. Gore-Langton.

Three local improvement by-laws to be voted on Saturday—Lakes road waterworks scheme, extension of Maple Bay waterworks system, and withdrawal of certain lands from the Crofton fire protection area.

CUMBERLAND

Mayor—W. Henderson, (x).

Councillors—J. H. Buchanan, J. H. Newman, A. F. Watson.

Parks Board—J. Buchanan and J. W. Stevenson.

Police commission—G. Kerton.

COMOX

Commissioners—R. A. Turner, W. M. McGill.

LADYSMITH

Mayor—Leonard Ryan, (x).

Council—P. R. Battie, (x), W. Hallinan.

School Board—W. J. Seaton, (x).

TOFINO

Commissioners—R. R. Barr, (x); William Sharp, (x).

ALBERNI

Mayor—Ben F. Wright, (x).

Aldermen—J. R. Blackstock, (x), C. M. Blair, (x), T. L. Thomson, (x).

School board — Dr. R. A. Burns, (x).

PARKSVILLE—The tender submitted by Jenkins Bros. of Parksville was accepted by the village commission for the job of ditching and laying pipe along Jensen street. Price of the tender was $787, less $33.75 for gravelling.

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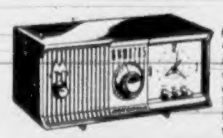

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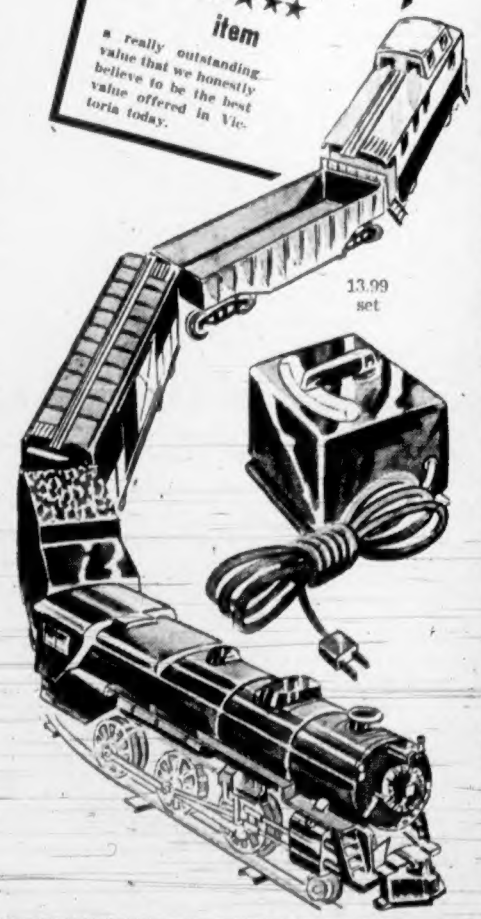

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